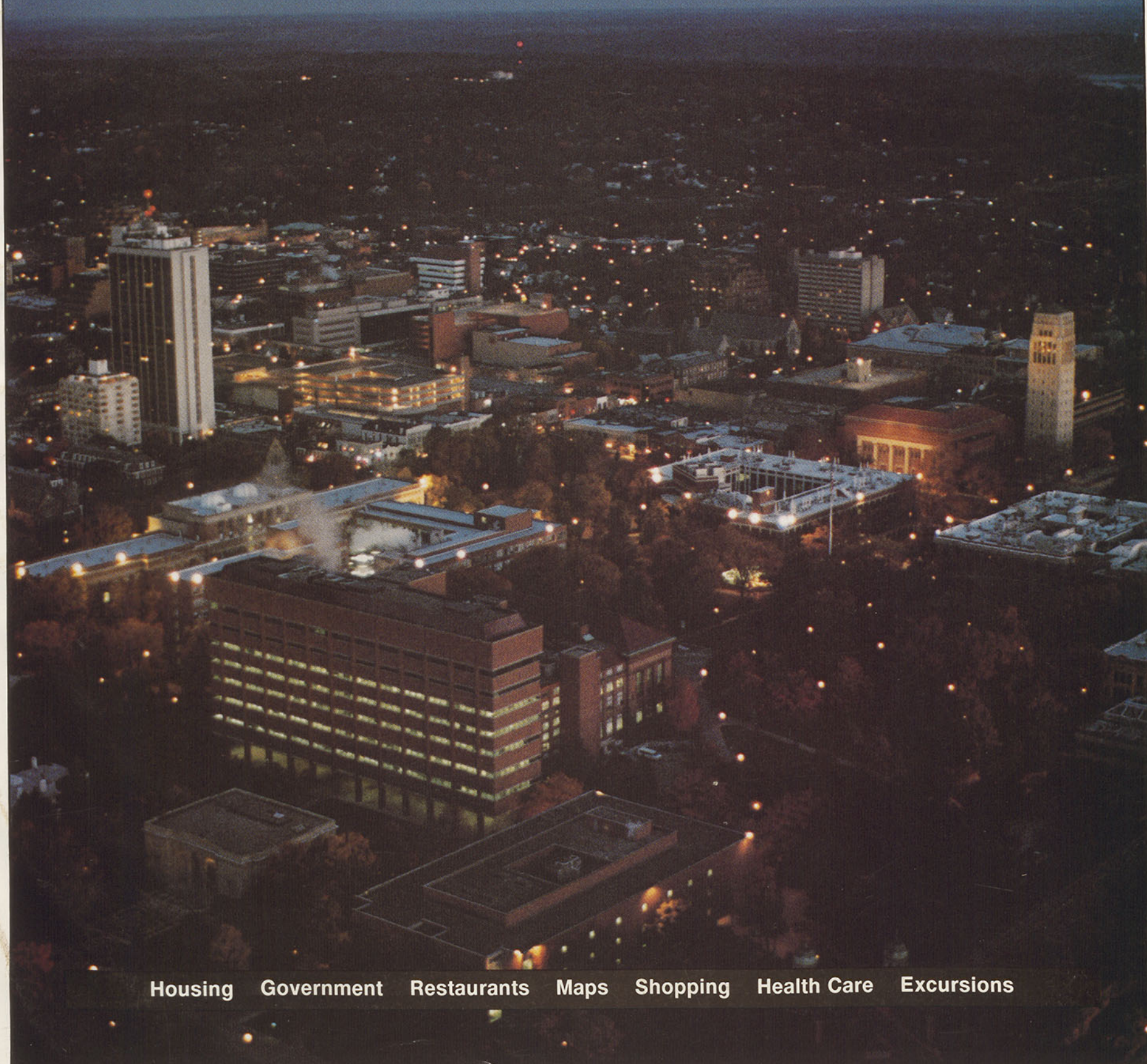


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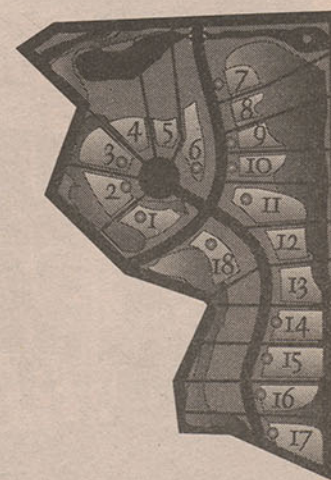
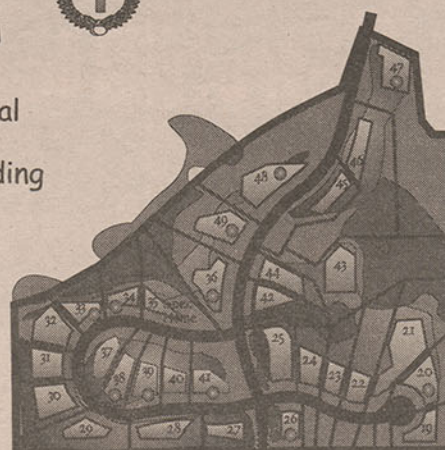
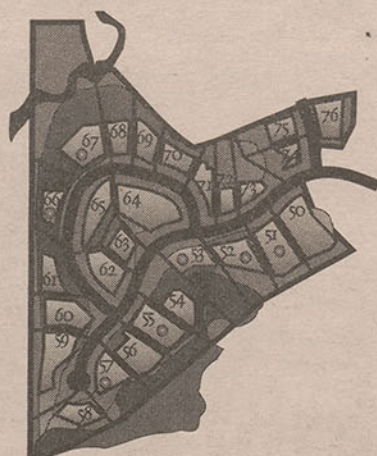
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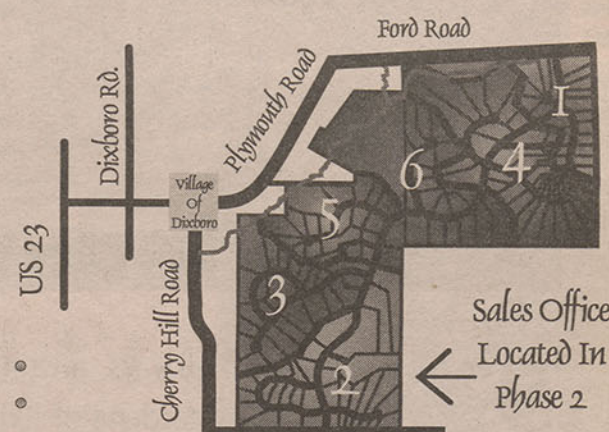
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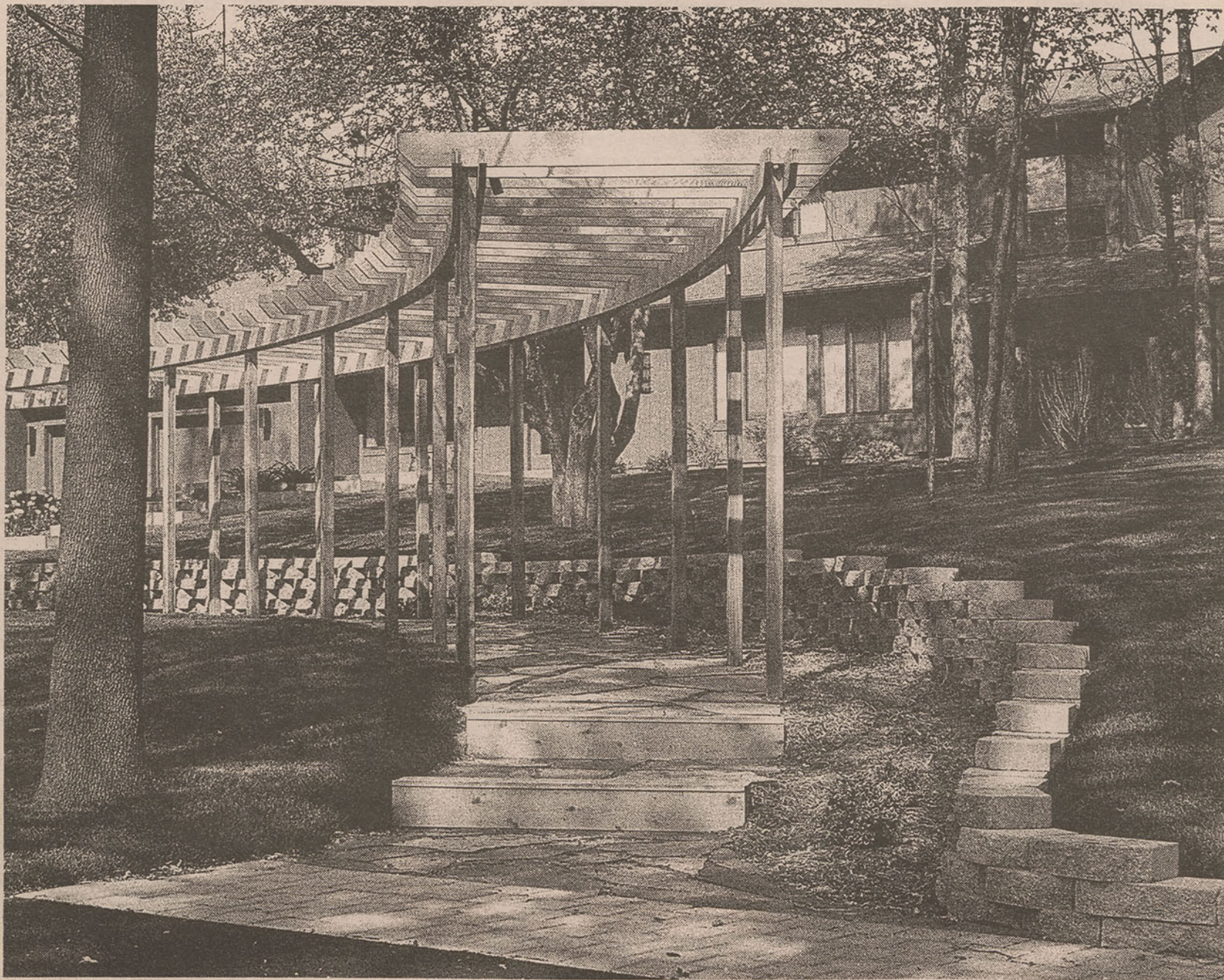


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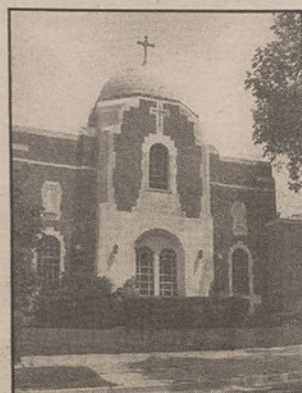
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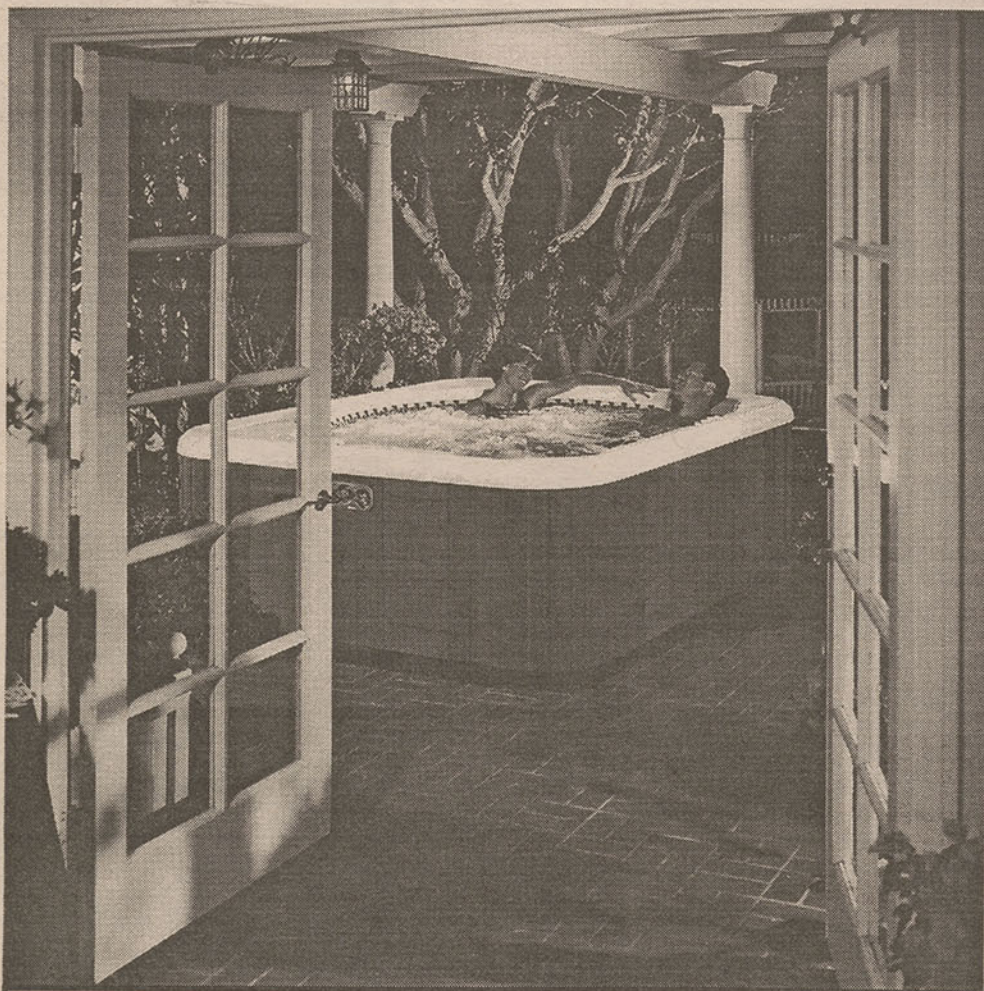
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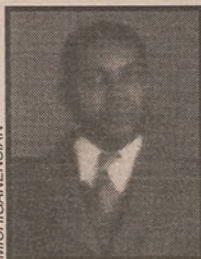
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## In search of celebrities' Ann Arbor roots

**A**s a college town, Ann Arbor is a center of culture, a magnet for people destined for great things, and a transient place. In bigger cities such as Los Angeles, Washington, and New York, sightings of living legends are part of life. In Ann Arbor, you can see the places where famous people *used* to live.

East Madison Street, near the southern edge of campus, has been home to one of this century's greatest humanitarians and one of its cruelest dictators. In 1944, Swedish businessman **Raoul Wallenberg** saved tens of thousands of Hungarian Jews from the Nazis' "final solution" before disappearing into the Soviet gulag. A decade earlier, as a U-M architecture student, Wallenberg lived in a rented room at 308 East Madison, passing over the U-M's fraternities because he considered them too elitist.

As Wallenberg was issuing Swedish passports to the Jews of Budapest, twenty Haitian doctors arrived in Ann Arbor. They were here to study public health for a year, preparing to expand a campaign against yaws, a highly contagious disease that then affected three-fourths of Haiti's



*François Duvalier as a U-M student.*

his classes. He didn't talk much later about his time in Ann Arbor, except to say that he had several unpleasant experiences here, apparently including racial discrimination. Returning to Haiti, Duvalier traveled across the country, curing thousands.

Nicknamed "Papa Doc," he became a major player in Haitian politics, ascending to the presidency in 1957. He never left office, ruling as a dictator until his death in 1971. By the time his son, "Baby Doc," was forced into exile in 1986, the Duvalier regime had killed 50,000 Haitians, tortured hundreds of thousands more, and driven a million into exile.

population. One of the doctors was **François Duvalier**.

Duvalier lived in a room at 608 East Madison, a building subsequently demolished to make way for the U-M's South Quad. His English was poor, and he failed all of

*Famous faces during their Ann Arbor days: future president Jerry Ford; humanitarian Raoul Wallenberg; and poet Robert Frost. West Quad (above) was home to theater student James Earl Jones—the future voice of Darth Vader.*

played center on Michigan's 1934 football team; it was a terrible season, but his teammates voted him most valuable player. Many years later, he wrote that the experience was good for him because it forced him to get used to jeers in the stands and the press: "Their comments helped me to develop a thick hide, and in later years whenever critics assailed me, I just let their jibes roll off my back."

While Ford labored to hold the federal government together, **John Sinclair** was doing his best to tear it apart. "Our goal was to develop Ann Arbor into a revolutionary base area, following the teachings of Mao Tse-Tung," recalls the most famous of the city's many 1960s radicals. "We wanted to see it become a socialist republic."

In the late 1960s and early 1970s, Sinclair was the unofficial leader of a commune based in two houses at 1510 and 1520 Hill Street. Living there "was always terrific fun, except for the police," Sinclair recalls. "They were always trying to stop the fun."

The commune drew the attention of the FBI when they named themselves the White Panther Party and published a manifesto calling for a "total assault on the culture by any means necessary." Sinclair and two friends were indicted on charges of bombing the CIA's clandestine Ann Arbor office, and Sinclair was sentenced to ten years in prison for possession of two marijuana cigarettes.



JERRY FORD



The extreme sentence gained the group national attention, and a benefit concert headlined by John Lennon attracted 15,000 people to Crisler Arena in December 1971. Three days after the rally, the Michigan Supreme Court freed Sinclair.

Two of the century's most famous poets lived at the same address on Pontiac Trail—though in different houses.

**Robert Frost** came to Ann Arbor as the U-M's poet-in-residence in 1921. During his two-year tenure, he lived on Washenaw Avenue in two houses, 1523 and 1432, which have since been torn down. While in Ann Arbor, Frost wrote many of the poems that appeared in his book *New Hampshire*, which won the 1924 Pulitzer Prize for poetry.



*John Sinclair tried to establish "a revolutionary base area" on Hill Street.*

The American president who emerged from the U-M was not a physician, but he titled his autobiography *A Time to Heal*. Stolid, reliable, and comfortingly familiar, **Gerald Ford** turned out to be just what the nation needed after the tumult of Watergate.

Ford enrolled at the U-M in 1931—attracted by its prestigious football program as well as its academic reputation. He pledged the Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity the next spring and lived for three years in the Deke house at 1912 Geddes Avenue (a different fraternity building is there now). The future president earned his board by washing dishes. "Academically, the Deke house had a lousy reputation," Ford recalled in his autobiography. "Athletically, however, it ranked fairly high, and it was certainly no slouch as a party house."

Despite the Dekes' reputation, Ford did well in school, earning mostly As. He



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He returned for another stint as poet-in-residence in 1925. This time, he lived in a Greek Revival home at 1223 Pontiac Trail. With his family back in Vermont the following spring, the lonely Frost walked around the city after dark, inspiring his poem "Acquainted With the Night." Its line about "one luminary clock against the sky" is generally agreed to refer to the old Washtenaw County Courthouse.

Henry Ford later moved the Pontiac Trail house to Greenfield Village in Dearborn (Ford didn't know that Frost had lived there: he just liked the building). U-M art professor Jean Paul Slusser subsequently built a contemporary studio/home of redwood on the site. In the fall of 1941, the English poet **W. H. Auden** moved into the new building at 1223. Also a U-M poet-in-residence, Auden was already a major figure in poetry. He invited his students over for weekly conversations and cocktails, prompting a call from a U-M dean asking Auden to stop serving them alcohol. In the winter he rented the Victorian home at 1504 Brooklyn. Auden was homosexual, and more public about it than most gays of his time; the home on Brooklyn briefly became a meeting place for Ann Arbor's gay community.

people in America, his celebrity certified by everything from *New Yorker* cartoons to David Letterman top ten lists.

The thought of being overshadowed by Dr. Death surely would irritate **Madonna**. Madonna Ciccone, as she was then known, moved from suburban Detroit to Ann Arbor in 1976. "No one who knew her then could possibly be surprised" at the fame she's achieved since, says local dancer Whitley Setrakian, who was Ciccone's roommate during her second year in town. "She was driven, ambitious, manipulative—but fun also, and affectionate."

Back then, the future pop star, now famous for constantly reinventing her appearance and attitude, was "very, very, very skinny," with short, dark brown hair and casual dress, Setrakian recalls. She and Ciccone were both dance students, and the women rented apartment 10A at University Towers together. Madonna waited tables at the Blue Frogge on nearby Church Street (now Rick's American Cafe) before moving to New York to seek her fortune in 1978.



Bob Seger's senior photo.

Ann Arbor's other biggest contemporary music prodigies were homegrown. Punk rocker **Iggy Pop** grew up Jim Osterberg in Coachville, the trailer park south of Packard on Carpenter. At Ann Arbor High, his band was the top attraction at the 1965 senior talent show. By 1969, Iggy Pop and the Stooges had a contract with Elektra Records; they used some of their \$25,000 advance to rent a large house—Stooges Manor—at the corner of Packard and Eisenhower, where a Standard Federal Bank branch stands now. The hard-partying rockers are said to have collected the

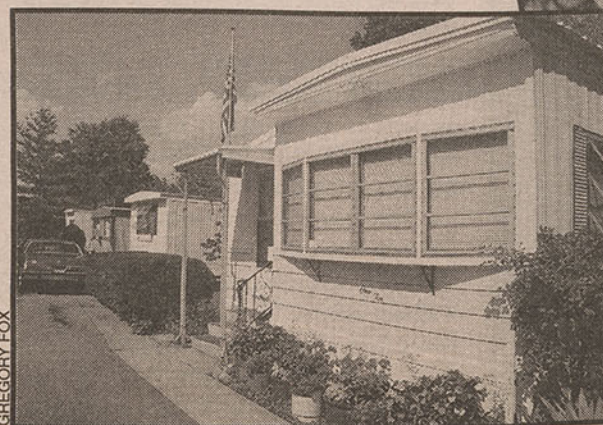
underwear of female visitors to the manor and stapled them to the kitchen counter. "The police were always out there knocking on the door: 'Keep the noise down!'" Pop

recalled recently for the *Detroit Free Press*. "We came up with two and a half albums' worth of innovative material there. Anybody who was anybody—George Clinton, Alice Cooper, Bob Seger—dropped by."

**Bob Seger**, a more famous, less infamous Motor City rocker, also grew up in Ann Arbor. His

**Jack Kevorkian** lived in a room at 706 South Division in 1947 while he was an undergraduate at the U-M. A brilliant student, he graduated from the U-M Medical School in 1952 and went into pathology, the study of the effects of disease through the examination of corpses. Returning to the U-M Medical Center later as a resident, he was asked to leave after he argued that doctors should perform experiments on consenting death-row prisoners while they were being executed.

Kevorkian's fascination with death eventually led him to help dozens of people kill themselves, thus challenging the legal system and initiating a national debate over physician-assisted suicide. A humanitarian crusader in the minds of some, a mad scientist in the minds of others, Kevorkian is now one of the most famous



Jim Osterberg grew up in Coachville, a trailer park on Carpenter Road. He found fame as punk star Iggy Pop.

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band had been the main draw at Ann Arbor High's 1963 senior talent show.

Seger lived at 511 Pauline from 1965 through 1968 while he was recording the singles that would make him a fixture on Michigan radio. National fame took longer; he finally broke into the Top Ten in 1977 with his song "Night Moves," inspired by his teenage years cruising Everett's and the A&W, both drive-ins on West Stadium. His hit "Old Time Rock 'n' Roll" has become a fixture of classic rock stations and high school dances alike and was central to the famous scene in the movie *Risky Business* that launched the career of a young Tom Cruise.

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The most famous actor to emerge from the U-M is indisputably **James Earl Jones**. Raised on a farm near Manistee, Jones came to the university on a scholarship in 1949. He worked at several jobs, enrolled in ROTC, and lived for at least part of the time in the Allen-Rumsey House in West Quad.

Jones studied to be a doctor at first, but didn't do well in science classes. Inspired by his father, an accomplished actor who he barely knew at the time, he turned to drama. In his last two years at the U-M, he played the lead in campus productions of Aristophanes' *The Birds* and a play about racial intolerance, *Deep Are the Roots*, which the director had chosen with Jones in mind.

He made his Broadway debut in 1957 and landed his first film role—in *Dr. Strangelove*—in 1964. In the late 1960s, he won the Tony award for his portrayal of boxer Jack Jefferson in the play *The Great White Hope*; the movie version earned him a Golden Globe award and an Academy Award nomination.

But Jones's greatest fame was still to come. In the mid-1970s, he did a voice-over for a little-heralded science fiction film. Hundreds of millions of people have since heard Jones's ominous portrayal of Darth Vader in the *Star Wars* trilogy. Today, millions more hear his voice daily on cable television. His basso sound bite, "This is CNN," has become a hallmark of the global news network.

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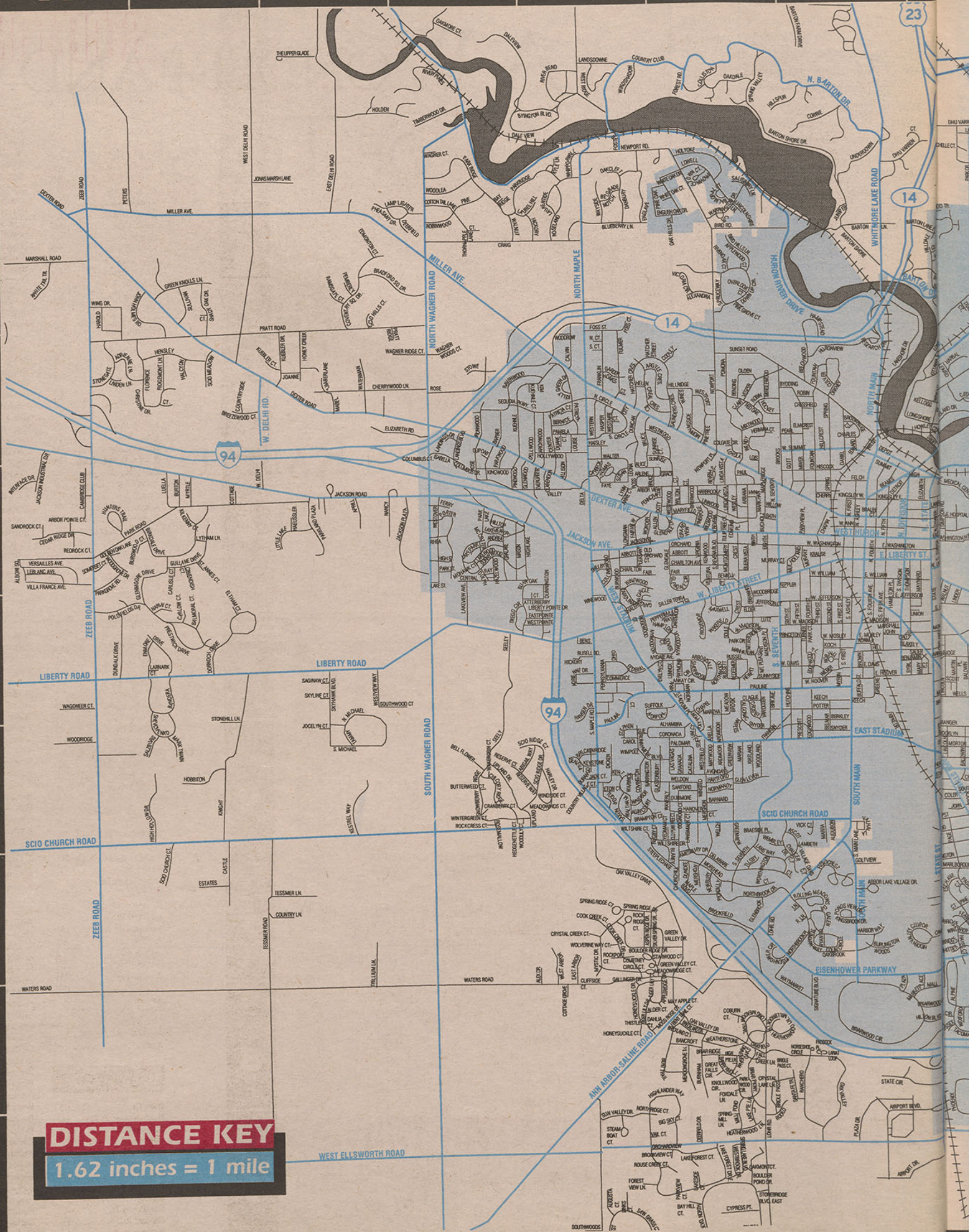
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| Rockland Ct.        | I8 |
| Rockport Ct.        | E7 |
| Rolling Meadows Dr. | G7 |
| Rolling Ridge       | M0 |
| Roon the Ben        | K8 |
| Roosevelt Ave.      | H5 |
| Rose Ave.           | H6 |
| Rose Dr.            | D4 |
| Rosedale St.        | J8 |
| Roseland St.        | E2 |
| Rosewood St.        | H7 |
| Ross St.            | E4 |
| Rouse Creek Ct.     | E9 |
| Roxbury Rd.         | J6 |
| Rugby Ct.           | E6 |
| Rumsey Dr.          | J1 |
| Runnymede Blvd.     | E6 |
| Runway Blvd.        | H9 |
| Russell Rd.         | E5 |
| Russell St.         | F5 |
| Russett Rd.         | F5 |
| Ruthven Pl.         | I5 |
| Ryan Rd.            | G7 |

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| Saffron Dr.       | M9 |
| Saginaw Ct.       | C5 |
| St. Annes Ct.     | B4 |
| St. Aubin Ave.    | J7 |
| St. Francis Dr.   | I6 |
| Salem Ct.         | K7 |
| Salisbury Ln.     | F1 |
| Salzburg          | B6 |
| Sandalwood Cir.   | J2 |
| Sandrock Ct.      | A4 |
| Sanford Pl.       | F6 |
| Santa Fe Tr.      | F8 |
| Santa Rosa Dr.    | I8 |
| Sauer Ct.         | G5 |
| Saunders Crescent | F3 |
| Sawgrass Ct. E.   | E9 |
| Sawgrass Ct. W.   | E9 |
| Saxon St.         | E6 |
| Scenic Lake Dr.   | L8 |
| Scio Church Ct.   | B7 |
| Scio Church Rd.   | G6 |
| Scio Hills Ct.    | C2 |
| Scio Meadow Dr.   | B3 |
| Scio Ridge Ct.    | E6 |
| Scio Ridge Dr.    | D6 |
| Scott Ct.         | H5 |
| Scott Pl.         | J3 |
| Scottwood Ave.    | I6 |
| Second St.        | G5 |
| Seeley Rd.        | D5 |
| Seminole Ave.     | L7 |
| Seminole Ct.      | L7 |
| Seneca Ave.       | I5 |
| Sequoia Pkwy.     | D3 |

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| Olden Rd.           | F3 |
| Olivia Ave.         | H5 |
| Omlesaad Dr.        | I1 |
| Onaway Pl.          | J5 |
| Oneida Pl.          | I6 |
| Onondaga St.        | I5 |
| Orchard St.         | F4 |
| Orchard Hills Ct.   | I4 |
| Orchard Hills Dr.   | I5 |
| Orchardview         | E9 |
| Orkney Dr.          | G3 |
| Osage Ct.           | L9 |
| Osage Dr.           | I2 |
| Oswego St.          | I5 |
| Ottawa Rd.          | H3 |
| Otter Creek Ct.     | I1 |
| Overbrook Ct. & Dr. | M0 |
| Overlook Ct.        | F2 |
| Overridge Dr.       | J6 |
| Oxford Rd.          | I5 |

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| Packard Rd.         | L7 |
| Packard St.         | I6 |
| Paddock Pl.         | G8 |
| Page Ave. & Ct.     | H7 |
| Paisley Ct.         | K3 |
| Palisades Blvd.     | L9 |
| Palmer Dr.          | H4 |
| Palomar Dr.         | F6 |
| Pamela Ave.         | E3 |
| Park Dr.            | F5 |
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| Park Rd.            | A4 |
| Park St.            | D4 |
| Parkgrove Rd.       | A4 |
| Parklake Ave.       | D4 |
| Parkland Plaza      | C4 |
| Parkridge Dr.       | D1 |
| Parkside Dr. & Ct.  | M2 |
| Parkview Ct.        | F9 |
| Parkview Pl.        | G4 |
| Parkway Blvd.       | M1 |
| Parkwood Ave.       | K7 |
| Parkwood Cir.       | F8 |
| Parkwood St.        | D4 |
| Partridge Path      | I8 |
| Patricia Ave. & Ct. | E3 |
| Patterson Pl.       | J3 |
| Paul St.            | F4 |
| Pauline Blvd.       | F5 |
| Pauline Ct.         | E5 |
| Peach St.           | H3 |
| Pear St.            | H3 |
| Pearl Ave.          |    |
| (Pittsfield Twp.)   | M8 |
| Pearl St.           | G3 |
| Pebble Creek Rd.    | I8 |
| Pemberly Ct.        | C2 |
| Penberton Ct. & Dr. | K4 |
| Peninsula Ct.       | J4 |
| Pennacraft Ct.      | E4 |
| Pennsylvania Ave.   | E5 |
| Pepper Pike         | K3 |
| Pepperidge Way      | L3 |
| Peppermill Way      | E5 |
| Persimmon Dr.       | M9 |
| Peters Rd.          | A1 |
| Pheasant Ct.        | M3 |
| Pheasant Dr.        | C2 |
| Pheasant Run Cir.   | I8 |
| Pheasant Trail      | M3 |
| Phoenix Dr.         | H9 |
| Picadilly Cir.      | F7 |
| Pine                | D2 |
| Pine Bluff Ct.      | I1 |
| Pine Brae Dr.       | L4 |
| Pine Grove Ct.      | F2 |
| Pine Oak            | E2 |
| Pine Ridge Ct.      | F4 |
| Pine Ridge St.      | L4 |
| Pine Tree Dr.       | F3 |
| Pine Valley Blvd.   |    |
| & Ct.               | H7 |
| Pinecrest Ave.      | K7 |
| Pineview Ct.        | I4 |
| Pinewood St.        | D4 |
| Pittsfield Blvd.    | K7 |
| Pittsview Dr.       | K8 |
| Plainway            | I1 |
| Plainview Ct.       | I8 |
| Platt Rd.           | J7 |
| Plaza Dr.           | G9 |
| Plaza Rd.           | G7 |
| Pleasant Pl.        | E4 |
| Plymouth Rd.        | K2 |
| Poinsettia Ct.      | L9 |
| Pointe Crossing     | I2 |
| Pointe Ln.          | I2 |
| Polo Fields Dr.     | A5 |
| Pomona Rd.          | F3 |
| Ponds View Dr.      | G7 |
| Pontiac Tr.         | H1 |
| Porter Ave.         | D4 |
| Potter Ave.         | G5 |
| Powell Ave.         | I7 |
| Prairie Ct. & St.   | J2 |
| Pratt Rd.           | B2 |
| Pratt Ridge Ct.     | C3 |
| Prescott Ave.       | G6 |
| Prestwick Ct.       | K3 |
| Prestwick Dr.       | B5 |
| Princeton Ave.      | G5 |
| Professional Dr.    | J6 |
| Prospect St.        | H5 |
| Provincetown Ct.    | F1 |

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| Nancy Rd.        | C4 |
| Naples Ct.       | F6 |
| Narrow Gauge Way | K4 |
| Natalie Ln.      | K3 |
| Navarre Cir.     | I5 |
| Needham Rd.      | I6 |
| Newbury Ct.      | F7 |
| Newcastle Rd.    | J6 |
| Newport Pl.      | F4 |
| Newport Rd.      | E1 |
| Nielsen Ct.      | H3 |



# The City of Ann Arbor's DROP-OFF STATION

## One-Stop Location for Recycling, Refuse, and Compost

2950 East Ellsworth Rd.

Open Mon-Fri 10 a.m.-5 p.m.  
and Saturdays 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

(April to Oct. open weekdays to 7 p.m.)

(313) 971-7400 ext. 4



The Drop-Off Station takes all the materials collected at home in Ann Arbor, plus bulky refuse, scrap metal, building debris, appliances and special items. A "+" indicates recyclables taken ONLY at the Station. The Drop-Off Station is operated for the City by Recycle Ann Arbor. For 24-hour City information, call 99-GREEN (994-7336).

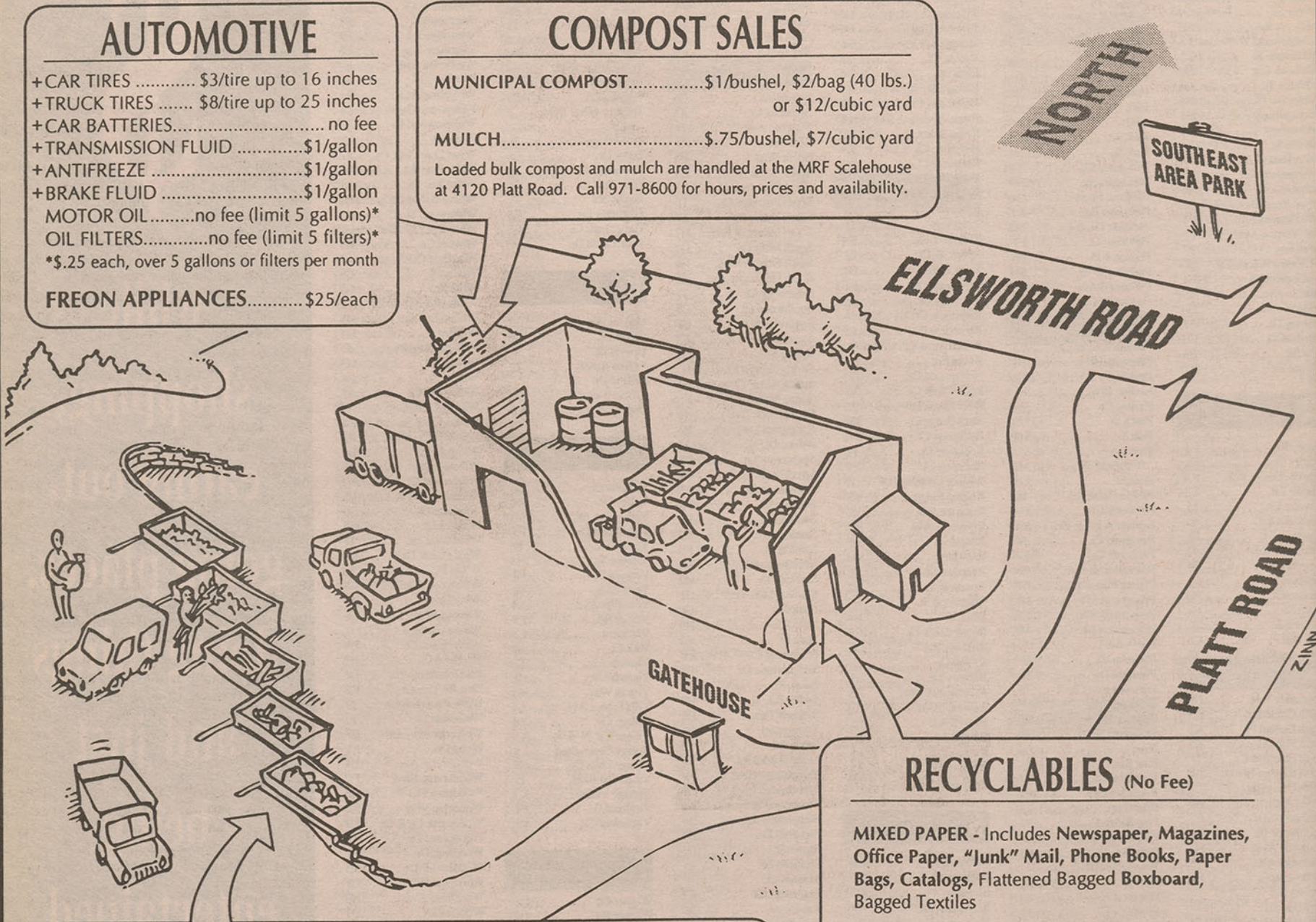


### AUTOMOTIVE

- + CAR TIRES ..... \$3/tire up to 16 inches
- + TRUCK TIRES ..... \$8/tire up to 25 inches
- + CAR BATTERIES..... no fee
- + TRANSMISSION FLUID ..... \$1/gallon
- + ANTIFREEZE ..... \$1/gallon
- + BRAKE FLUID ..... \$1/gallon
- MOTOR OIL.....no fee (limit 5 gallons)\*
- OIL FILTERS.....no fee (limit 5 filters)\*
- \*\$.25 each, over 5 gallons or filters per month
- FREON APPLIANCES.....\$25/each

### COMPOST SALES

- MUNICIPAL COMPOST.....\$1/bushel, \$2/bag (40 lbs.)  
or \$12/cubic yard
  - MULCH.....\$.75/bushel, \$7/cubic yard
- Loaded bulk compost and mulch are handled at the MRF Scalehouse at 4120 Platt Road. Call 971-8600 for hours, prices and availability.



### BULK MATERIALS

Accepted in roll-off tipping area by cubic yard (cy)  
Fees assessed up to nearest half yard at Gatehouse.

- YARD WASTE** - Includes soft yard debris and branches up to 6" in diameter. No stumps or logs. No fee for city residents; \$12/cy for non-residents.
- UNFINISHED WOOD** - Includes clean lumber (untreated, unpainted and unstained) and pallets. \$12/cy
- BUILDING DEBRIS & BULKY WASTE** - Includes drywall, carpeting, shingles, furniture, mattresses, treated wood, concrete and bricks. \$16/cy
- SCRAP METAL** - Includes small metal appliances, microwaves, vehicular parts, gutters, bikes and empty lawn mowers. No fee. Large non-freon appliances \$5 each.
- REFUSE** - Includes non-hazardous municipal solid waste. \$14/cy for City residents and businesses; \$17/cy for non-residents.

Prices are subject to change.

### RECYCLABLES (No Fee)

- MIXED PAPER** - Includes Newspaper, Magazines, Office Paper, "Junk" Mail, Phone Books, Paper Bags, Catalogs, Flattened Bagged Boxboard, Bagged Textiles
- CORRUGATED BOXES** (flattened)
- MIXED CONTAINERS** - Includes empty, rinsed: Milk Cartons, Juice Boxes, Glass (jars, bottles, dishes, pyrex), Ceramics, Plastic Bottles (marked #1,2,3) Metals (steel cans, lids, empty aerosols, aluminum cans, foil, pie tins)
- HOUSEHOLD BATTERIES**
- + **HARDCOVER BOOKS**
- + **STYROFOAM™** (no food waste)
- + **PACKING PEANUTS** (bagged)
- + **EGG CARTONS**
- SEPARATED WHITE and MIXED OFFICE PAPER**

+ = materials taken *only* at the Drop-Off Center



# GOVERNMENT

*A guide to local government services  
and Ann Arbor's lively political scene.*

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Democrats took control of Ann Arbor's city council in the 1990s. Just a decade ago, Republicans still won council majorities with some regularity, but the balance appears to have shifted for good following a 1991 Democrat-controlled redistricting and a 1992 ballot initiative that moved city elections to November. Currently, Democrats hold a 7-4 majority on council, and Fifth Ward Democratic council representative Chris Kolb came within 5 percentage points of beating Mayor Ingrid Sheldon, a popular moderate Republican, in the November 1996 election.

Democrats also control the governing boards of Washtenaw County and Pittsfield Township. Republicans control the boards of the city's other immediate neighbors, Ann Arbor Township and Scio Township. (Scio is so solidly in the GOP camp that the Democrats don't even bother to field candidates there.)

While the township governments tend to focus on keeping taxes low, the city of Ann Arbor has a long history of well-funded municipal activism. It makes grants to local nonprofits and maintains a comprehensive bus system, a vast network of parks, and a state-of-the-art recycling program. The challenge in the years ahead will be finding the money to support them.

Faced with a growing gap—currently \$2 million a year—between stagnant revenues and rising costs, the council last year explored the idea of boosting revenues by replacing a portion of the current property tax with a city income tax. But council backed off when the proposal gathered little public support—and plenty of heated opposition.

City administrator Neal Berlin has developed a long-term budget strategy that virtually freezes expenditures at current levels. His plan is to draw on the city's robust reserves to balance the books until, sometime early in the next decade, revenues catch up with expenditures. But that freeze means some service levels will have to be reduced, perhaps drastically, over the next few years.

## ELECTIONS

Ann Arbor holds **city elections** every fall on the Tuesday after the first Monday in November (1997 date: November 4). **National, state, and county elections** are held on the same day in even-numbered years. **Township elections** coincide with national presidential elections. **School board elections** are held annually on

the second Monday in June (1998 date: June 8). For all elections, polls are open 7 a.m.–8 p.m.

Residents may **register to vote** at the city or township clerk's office, the district library, Secretary of State offices, and through volunteer deputy registrars. To be eligible to vote, you must register your local address at least 30 days before an election. After registering, you will receive information by mail about where to vote. For specific information on where to vote in your area, call your city or township clerk (see listings below).

**Primary elections** for city, township, county, state, and national offices are held in August preceding the November general vote. In primary elections, voters may vote for the candidates in one party only. Also, in even-numbered years both political parties hold nominating conventions after the August primary to nominate candidates for state education boards (e.g., the U-M Board of Regents), lieutenant governor (if it is a gubernatorial election year), state supreme court justices, secretary of state, and attorney general. Would-be precinct delegates to the nominating conventions can file a petition with the county clerk. For more information, call the county Democratic Party headquarters (998-0345) or the county Republican Party headquarters (971-4622).

## ANN ARBOR CITY GOVERNMENT

### WHO TO CALL

**City Hall**, the Guy C. Larcom Jr. Municipal Building, is located at 100 N. Fifth Ave., at Huron. The mailing address is P.O. Box 8647, AA 48107.

The city maintains an automated **Citizen Information Line**, with recorded directions to City Hall and recorded information about common functions of various city government departments. The number is 994-HELP (994-4357), and you will need a Touch-Tone phone. For a list of topics currently covered, along with their three-digit codes, see box, p. 22.

For residents with Internet access, the city recently has launched a comprehensive **Web site** offering detailed information about city government and services. Web: [www.ci.ann-arbor.mi.us](http://www.ci.ann-arbor.mi.us)

For **general information**, call the information desk, 994-2700. If you have a question about a specific city service, call the department that provides it. The main functions of each department are outlined below, and a brief index of services and phone numbers is on page 23. **Complaints** about city services or employees are handled by the city clerk's office (994-2725). If you want to see changes made in any city law, rule, or procedure, call your city council representatives (see p. 25).



*Ann Arbor's popular veteran city clerk, Winnie Northcross, is now an associate city administrator as well.*

public and provide a better forum than council meetings for citizens who want to talk directly with council members.

The **public is welcome to speak** to council at the beginning of each council meeting, but only eight four-minute slots are available. You can sign up for one of these slots by coming to the city clerk's office or calling (994-2725) at 8 a.m. the day of the meeting. Four people are allowed to sign up in person, and four by phone. Would-be speakers should arrive or call early: slots often fill by 8:10 a.m. Those who spoke at the last meeting are not eligible to speak at the following meeting, unless no one else has signed up for the slots. Speakers must announce the subject of their address when they sign up.

Members of the public may address council at the end of council meetings, usually around midnight, without having to sign up in advance. **Public hearings**, at which anyone can speak without advance notice for up to five minutes, are held during council meetings on many proposed council actions. The agendas for council meetings and notices of public hearings are published in the *Ann Arbor News* the Sunday before each meeting.

**Mayor**, third floor, City Hall. 994-2766. The mayor, elected in a partisan election every two years, presides over and is a voting member of city council. Republican **Ingrid Sheldon** was reelected in November 1996. The mayor appoints council committees, has the power to veto most council actions, has certain police powers in the case of an emergency, and acts as ceremonial head of the city. The office of mayor is designated as a part-time position and pays \$16,500 a year.

Sheldon, termed "a marryin' mayor" by one of her staff, has performed many **weddings** since assuming office. Under state law the mayor is authorized to preside over ceremonies within the city limits only; the cost is \$25. Call Mayor Sheldon's office to make arrangements.

To become a member of any of about 50 **city boards, committees, or commissions**, request an application from the mayor's office. The city clerk's office maintains a list of all such groups that have openings.

### CITY ADMINISTRATION

Ann Arbor's city government faces a perennial space crunch, with some offices often spilling over into the City Center Building catercorner across Huron and Fifth from City Hall.

**City Administrator**, third floor, City Hall. 994-2650. Ann Arbor's administrator, Neal Berlin, is responsible for seeing that the city bureaucracy carries out the policies established by council. He prepares an annual budget for adoption by council, and city department heads answer to him, either directly or through another department head.

**Accounting Division**, fifth floor, City Hall. 994-2730. This division of the Finance Department is headed by Karen Lancaster. It manages the city's money and provides citizens with information on bond issues and the city's general financial condition.

**People with disabilities** who need assistance with city services can call 994-2700 (TDD-equipped). With advance notice, the city will provide Braille or voice-recorded documents to the blind (this can take up to two weeks) and interpreters for the deaf at public meetings.

### CITY COUNCIL & THE MAYOR

For **information** about city council and issues currently before it, call 994-2725. The **council message line** (994-3313) will relay your questions or comments to a specific council person. To learn who your representatives are, see the **ward map** and the list of current **council members** on p. 25.

City council adopts the city's annual budget and determines city laws and policies. It is made up of eleven members: two from each of the city's five wards, plus the mayor. Serving on council is considered a part-time job: council members receive just \$8,800 per year for their work.

Council members serve staggered two-year terms, so one seat in each ward is up for grabs in a partisan election every fall. But despite Ann Arborites' reputation for a high level of political involvement, council elections tend to generate little interest and low turnouts.

Regular **city council meetings** are held at 7:30 p.m. on the first and third Mondays of the month, in the council chambers on the second floor of City Hall. Additional special or working sessions usually take place on the second and fourth Mondays of the month. Citizens are welcome to attend meetings and working sessions. Meetings are telecast live on the city's cable Channel 10 and repeated twice each week (see Media, p. 187).

The two **party caucuses** meet together at 7:30 p.m. the Sunday before scheduled council meetings, in the second-floor conference room above the fire station (across Fifth Ave. from City Hall). Caucus meetings are open to the



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**Assessor**, fifth floor, City Hall. 994-2663. This division of the Finance Department, headed by David Gould, determines the assessed value of all commercial and residential property in the city for property tax purposes. The office keeps assessment and ownership histories of properties in the city.

Property owners who disagree with their annual assessment can appeal to the council-appointed **Board of Review**. The six-member board forms two panels that hear appeals once a year for at least four days, starting on the third Monday in March. Residents may address the board in person; nonresident owners, seniors, or homebound people may mail their appeals to the assessor's office. Be warned that the board has the power to increase the amount of an assessment being appealed, and does so occasionally. The Board of Review also may reduce taxes for homeowners who cannot afford to pay the full amount, providing they meet specific income levels and other requirements.

Under state law, the assessed value of a property equals one-half the current market value. But under Proposal A, passed by Michigan voters in 1994, taxable value was capped; annual increases are limited to 5 percent, or the rate of inflation in the Consumer Price Index, whichever is lower. The cap comes off for a year after the property is sold or transferred; the taxable value is then increased so that it's once again equal to the assessed value. Anyone who has recently purchased a home must fill out a property transfer affidavit (available through the assessor's office) within 45 days. Failure to do this will result in a penalty of \$5 per day over 45 days, up to a maximum of \$200. In addition, if the property is not uncapped at the proper time, the buyer can be assessed additional taxes, interest, and penalties when the sale is discovered.

The assessor's office can assist seniors in applying for the **Michigan Homestead Property Tax Credit** when they file their state income tax returns.

**Businesses** that are opening or closing should contact the assessor's office about personal property taxes. Despite the name, the personal property tax is levied only on business assets.

**City Attorney**, third floor, City Hall. 994-2670. City attorney Abigail Elias provides legal advice to city council and city officials, prepares legal documents, represents the city and its officials in lawsuits, and prosecutes violations of city ordinances. If you have a question about the legality of something you want to do—or about something your neighbor is doing—as it pertains to the city code, call the city attorney. (To lodge a complaint against someone you believe is violating the city code, call the police.)

**City Clerk**, second floor, City Hall. 994-2725. City clerk Winnie Northcross and her staff provide a variety of services to the public and city council. The office issues licenses for bicycles (\$2.50 onetime fee) and dogs (\$10 for up to two years) and going-out-of-business permits (\$110 for 30 days, renewable twice). Applicants must submit serial numbers for a bike license and a rabies certificate for a dog license. The clerk's office no longer issues peddler's licenses; for these and most other city licenses and permits, contact the **Central Permit Desk** in the Building Department (994-2674).

**Domestic partnership certificates** also fall under the city clerk's jurisdiction. Certificates allow couples to publicly express their commitment if they cannot or choose not to marry, but they create no legal rights or benefits. To register under the domestic partnership ordinance, pick up an application at this office, sign it in the presence of two witnesses, and get it notarized (the notary can be one witness). The charge is \$20 for city residents and \$25 for those outside the city.

This office also maintains records of city council acts (including members' voting records), which the public can inspect. Copies can be made for 25¢ a page. People who wish to speak at a city council meeting can reserve a time slot by calling the city clerk on the day of the meeting (see City Council, above). The city code and charter are available for inspection and copying at this office. Copies of the charter cost \$3 apiece.

Ann Arbor residents can register to vote at the city clerk's office, at a Michigan Secretary of State office, or at any branch of the district library. You may call the clerk's office to request a mail-in registration form.

A division of the city clerk's office, the **Public Information Office** (994-1766), publishes the city's newsletter, *For the People*. It also handles complaints and questions about compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act. For general information about city government, call the **information desk** (994-2700).

**Office of Cable Communications**, 425 S. Main, Suite LL 114. 994-1833. Under cable administrator Harry (Hap) Haasch, this office, a division of the city clerk's office, regulates cable television locally and oversees the city's Community Television Network cable-access channels. It deals primarily with consumer issues and complaints. The **Cable Communications Commission**—the policy-making body for CTN—meets the fourth Tuesday of the month. In the wake of CTN's recent move from the Central Fire Station to Main Street, a new meeting location has not yet been set; call for information. When openings are available, applications for cable commission membership can be picked up at the mayor's office. The city's cable provider, **MediaOne**, can be reached at 973-2266, and the phone number for the **Community Television Network** is 769-7422; for full information, see Media, p. 187.

**Downtown Development Authority (DDA)**, 100 N. Fifth Ave., City Hall. 994-6697. Ann Arbor's DDA is a board of 12 citizens appointed by the mayor and city council to promote the economic health and growth of the downtown business district. It receives the local tax revenue that has been generated by renovation and new construction downtown.

Subject to city council approval, it may help finance public and public/private developments that encourage the economic vitality of the downtown. Created in 1982, it has largely concentrated on providing more parking and pedestrian improvements. It also administers the private management and maintenance of downtown parking structures and attended lots. As part of its lease agreement with the city, the DDA also agreed to make necessary repairs, alterations, and enhancements to these facilities (see Parking and Transportation, p. 27). The DDA also has interests in downtown housing, open space, historic preservation, and marketing.

**Risk Management**, fifth floor, City Hall. 994-6693. This office is headed by the city's risk manager, Dan Cullen. Anyone who wishes to file an insurance claim against the city should call this office. It also handles all employee benefits and all workers' compensation claims for city employees and is responsible for the city's liability and property insurance coverage. This office also conducts safety training for city employees.

**Treasurer**, first floor, City Hall. 994-2833. This division of the Finance Department is headed by Brenda L. Smith. The treasurer is responsible for collecting city revenues, which include property taxes, parking fines, water and sewer bills, and all invoices generated by city departments. Citizens can pay their bills at the cashier's window in the lobby, at the drive-up window located on the north side of City Hall, or by using the drop box located at the south entrance (near the police information desk). Parking referees are available for those who wish to contest parking violation citations; see Parking and Transportation, p. 27. Call 994-9172 for hours and more information.

**Property taxes** are billed twice a year, in July and December. If you own a home in Ann Arbor, and it's your primary residence, your home was taxed at a rate of \$35.2252 per \$1,000 taxable value in summer 1997. All other property owners were taxed at a rate of \$39.7388 per \$1,000 taxable value.

During the months of July and December, taxes may be paid at participating local Ann Arbor banks. Bills for summer property

taxes not paid by the July 31 deadline increase by 1 percent if paid during August. The penalty climbs to 5 percent if the bill is paid during September or October. After October, unpaid summer taxes, plus penalties, are added to winter bills. Winter bills are due December 31; they go up 1 percent if paid in January and 2 percent if paid in February. The county assumes responsibility for collecting outstanding property taxes that are not paid by March 1.

## POLICE & FIRE

**Police Department**, first floor, City Hall. **Emergency: call 911.** Calls made in the city of Ann Arbor will automatically be connected to the city's Police and Fire departments. The 911 phone number has multiple lines, so don't be reluctant to use it. It can be used in any situation, even nonemergency, which requires a car response. For situations that do not require a car response and other nonemergencies, call 994-2911. The **complaint desk** number is 994-2875; this is also the number to call to check on the status of towed vehicles.

Led by chief Carl Ent, the Ann Arbor Police Department functions 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. A community policing system assigns a pair of detectives, a uniformed district coordinator, and a civilian community service assistant to each of four districts of the city. These officers handle all incidents occurring in that district except domestic violence and youth-related calls. **Community policing offices** are located at the Traver Village shopping center, 2605 Plymouth (994-8107); 501 N. Maple (994-8365); 3022 Packard (971-8038); and Mason Hall, Rm. G-417, on the U-M campus (764-6113). All district offices are open Mon.-Thurs. 9 a.m.-6 p.m., Fri. 8 a.m.-4 p.m. The U-M office is operated jointly by the city and university police forces and serves area businesses as well as students.

The **youth and family services unit** (994-2710) handles all incidents involving domestic violence or children. An officer from this unit can also address youth groups or talk to concerned parents. Other police numbers: **special investigations unit** (994-1839); **embezzlement and fraud unit** (994-2661).

In addition to law enforcement, the Police Department serves as a catchall for services that the city's other departments do not provide. **Lost and found** is on the first floor of City Hall (994-2874). The department holds a **police auction** twice a year, or whenever the volume of found or confiscated goods becomes large. Auction dates are posted at City Hall and sometimes advertised in local media.

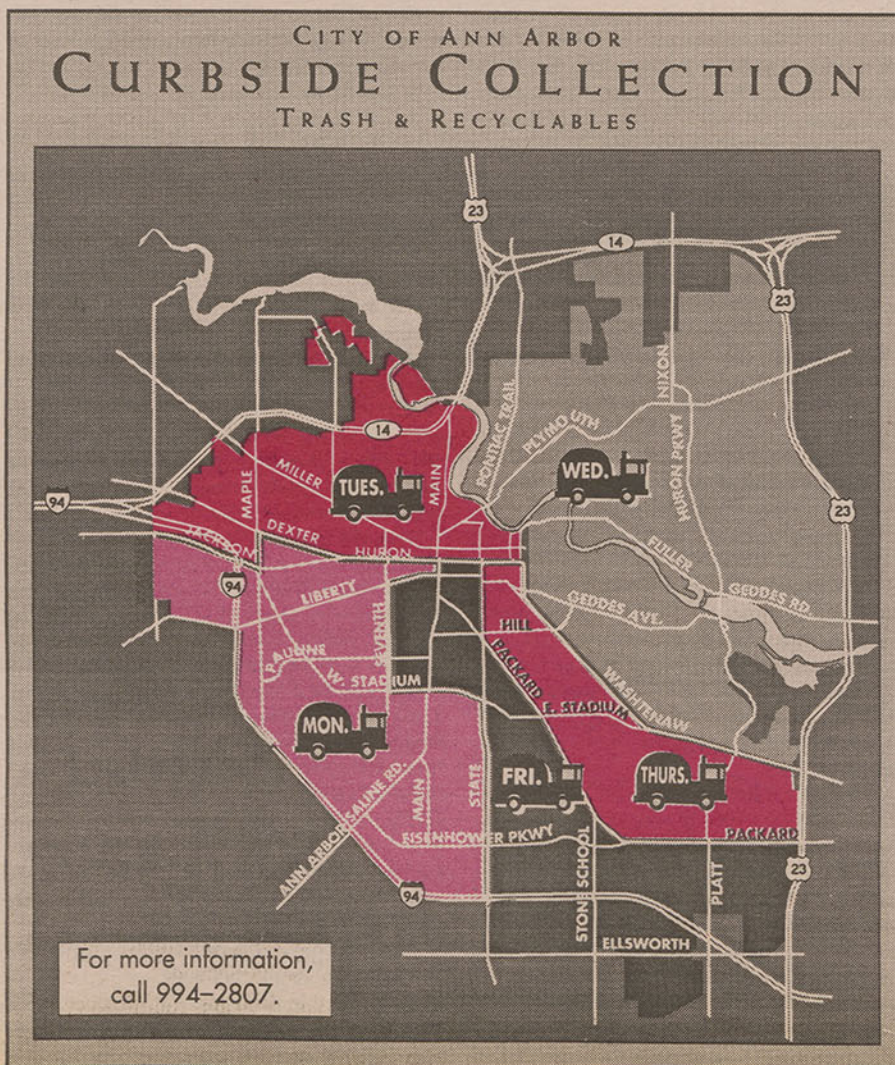
To find out how to take part in the **Neighborhood Watch crime prevention** program, call 994-8775. The **Office of Disaster Preparedness** (24-hour line, 761-2425) supplements police in the event of a disaster and notifies the public. For **animal control**, call 911 (emergency) or 994-2911.

The **Safety Town** program (994-2242, 994-1973) teaches incoming kindergartners about pedestrian, playground, and bicycle safety. It is offered every year in late June and early July at Wines Elementary School.

The **crime prevention office** (994-2979) will survey your home or business and point out possible security weaknesses free of charge. The crime prevention office also runs the department's **sexual assault awareness program** (994-8775), which sends speakers to schools, professional groups, and community groups.

**Fire Department**, 111 N. Fifth Ave. 994-2772 (for emergencies, call 911). Fire chief George Markus. The Ann Arbor Fire Department handles fire emergencies within Ann Arbor city limits. It routinely conducts fire inspections of commercial properties and all new buildings, ensures that fire lanes are maintained during special events (such as the notoriously crowded Art Fair), and investigates all fires of a suspicious nature.

In cooperation with the public schools, fire prevention programs are conducted for children in grades 3-6. The Fire Department owns a portable fire safety house that is used to educate adults and children on how to exit a smoke-filled home, school, or workplace. The





house is equipped with plenty of safe, nontoxic smoke. Talks on fire safety are also conducted in the house. The newest addition to the safety program is **Fire Safety Sammy**, a retired city bus that has been converted into a mock-up of a family home. Sammy is used to demonstrate many common fire hazards in the home and teach kids how to recognize and eliminate them. Fire station tours are available by appointment year-round (call 994-4976).

**Cats stuck in trees** are on their own. But, advises one fireman, they'll eventually come down of their own accord if whatever caused their flight is removed. "I've never found a cat skeleton in a tree," he says.

## GENERAL CITY SERVICES

**Engineering Division**, fourth floor, City Hall. 994-2744. Chief engineer Sabah H. Yousif and his staff design and oversee new city subdivisions, road construction and resurfacing projects, and environmental projects, including the city's now-closed landfill. Residents of an area of the city that lacks an adequate sewer or a paved street can request improvements from this office or from the Water Utilities Department. (Requests should be made in writing and mailed to the appropriate department at P.O. Box 8647, AA 48107-8647.) All work must be approved by city council. Do not call this office to report potholes (call 99-HOLES) or streets and sidewalks needing repair (call the Transportation Division, 994-2818).

**Forestry and Horticulture Division**, 415 W. Washington St. 994-2769. City forester Bill Lawrence and his crew from the Forestry Division

of the Department of Parks and Recreation plant trees on lawn extensions and care for them at no charge. The horticulture crew plants and maintains all public flower and shrub beds (8-10 feet in height). Trees are planted in the fall and the spring each year. Home owners who want a tree larger than those normally supplied can have one planted on their lawn extension at an additional cost. Call by March for spring plantings, by August for fall plantings. The Forestry Division also inspects public and private trees for disease, cares for the public trees, and provides advice for the owners of private ones for a \$25 fee. Tree clinics (no charge; call for location) are held once in June and once in July in city parks. Foresters examine leaves, bark, or twigs brought to the clinics and provide information and advice. Specimens may also be brought to the forestry office for diagnosis.

**Department of Parks and Recreation**, sixth floor, City Hall. 994-2780. Under parks superintendent Ron Olson, this department runs the city parks, swimming pools, golf courses, and ice rinks, as well as several community centers and assorted other facilities. Brochures describing park facilities are published in early spring and early fall and mailed to all Ann Arbor households. For more information on city parks and recreational facilities and programs, see Recreation, p. 129.

Reservations for **park shelters** may be made in this office. Applications must be made a week in advance and be accompanied by a nonrefundable fee; call for current fee information. The city does not allow alcohol in any

city park without a permit; if you intend to drink, request permission when you reserve the park shelter or picnic area.

**Solid Waste Department**, third floor, City Center Bldg., 220 E. Huron. 994-2807, 99-GREEN. Directed by John Newman, this department coordinates the weekly and special collection of trash and the seasonal collection of yard waste and Christmas trees. It also provides commercial recycling services and oversees curbside recycling. For weekly trash and recycling pickup dates in your neighborhood, see the map, p. 20. **Trash** must be placed at the curb in 30-35-gallon maximum capacity cans or plastic bags that weigh up to 50 pounds each. Persons with a physical handicap can arrange to have garbage containers carried to the street at no charge. **Yard waste** is collected from April 1 through November 30. Use 30-35-gallon containers with a "compostable" sticker on them (available from this department) or 30-gallon paper bags. Brush and tree limbs up to 6 inches in diameter must be cut into 3-4-foot lengths and tied into bundles up to 18 inches in diameter or 50 pounds in weight. Plastic bags are not accepted for yard waste. During the fall, **street leaf pickup** is coordinated by the Transportation Division (see below).

**Large items**, including furniture and appliances, are collected by appointment. Fees are \$15 for most appliances ("white goods") and \$30 for each 4 cubic yards of other debris. Call to arrange pickup. Many large items may also be disposed of at **Recycle Ann Arbor** (2950 E. Ellsworth) Mon.-Fri. 10 a.m.-7 p.m., Sat. 9 a.m.-5 p.m. No fees are charged for dropping off scrap metal or recyclables. Recycle Ann Arbor accepts transmission fluid, antifreeze, and brake fluid (\$1 per gallon); bulk items such as tires (\$3-\$5 each), and Freon-containing appliances (\$25 each). Other materials are taken on a volume basis, as measured by the cubic yard: unfinished wood (clean lumber and pallets) (\$12/cubic yard), building debris and furniture (\$16/cubic yard), and refuse (\$14/cubic yard).

The city's trash and recyclables are processed at the **Materials Recovery Facility**, operated by Connecticut-based Resource Recovery Systems, at Ellsworth and Platt roads. You can visit the facility on prearranged group tours or during open houses September through June on the second Saturday morning and second Tuesday afternoon of the month (call 994-2807).

**Recycling services** for all Ann Arbor residents and most city businesses are coordinated by the Solid Waste Department (24-hour information line: 99-GREEN). Twice a year, the Solid Waste Department sends a newsletter on recycling and solid waste collection to all city households. Recycling collection is contracted to Recycle Ann Arbor (call 662-6288 for service problems).

The city provides **residential recycling bins** at no charge—rectangular tubs for single-family homes, and round buckets for apartments. Both are color-coded. Use the **tan "paper" bin** for unsorted newspapers, magazines, "junk mail," phone books, paperback books, paper bags, and corrugated cardboard. Windowed envelopes are acceptable, but plastic materials, rice paper, or treated fax paper should not be placed in the bins. Also, you can use this bin for bundled textiles (for instance, used clothing) and boxboard (cereal boxes, tissue boxes, toilet paper rolls, etc.). Place textiles in labeled plastic bags, and bundle or bag boxboard separately from other papers. The **green "containers" bin** is for glass containers, metal cans, foil, pie plates, household ceramics, plastic bottles marked #1, #2, and #3, empty aerosol cans, milk cartons, and juice boxes. Household scrap metal up to 1 square foot in area and 20 pounds in weight is also acceptable. For more details, see the Solid Waste Department ad on p. 18.

**Business recycling collection** is available: call 994-2807 for information.

**Transportation Division**, fourth floor, City Hall. 994-2818. This division of the Public Service Department oversees on-street parking and

## ELECTED OFFICIALS

### NATIONAL OFFICIALS

**Senator Spencer Abraham (R)**, 329 Dirksen Senate Office Bldg., Washington, DC 20510. (202) 224-4822, fax: (202) 224-8834. Local office: 26222 Telegraph Rd., #200, Southfield 48034. (248) 350-0510. Six-year term expires Jan. 2001. E-mail: michigan@abraham.senate.gov

**Senator Carl Levin (D)**, 459 Russell Senate Office Bldg., Washington, DC 20510. (202) 224-6221, fax: (202) 224-1388. Local office: 1810 Michigan National Tower, 124 W. Allegan St., Lansing 48933. (517) 377-1509. Six-year term expires Jan. 2003. E-mail: senator@levin.senate.gov

**Representative Lynn Rivers (D-13th District)**, city of Ann Arbor and eastern Washtenaw County, 1724 Longworth House Office Bldg., Washington, DC 20515. (202) 225-6261. Local office: 106 E. Washington, AA 48104-1905. 741-4210, fax: 741-4214. Two-year term expires Jan. 1999. Web: www.house.gov/writerrep/

**Representative Debbie Stabenow (D-8th District)**, northern and western Washtenaw County, 1516 Longworth House Office Bldg., Washington, DC 20515. (202) 225-4872, fax: (202) 225-3034. Local office: 2900 E. Grand River, Howell 48843. (517) 545-2195, fax: (517) 545-2430. Two-year term expires Jan. 1999. E-mail: debbie.stabenow@mail.house.gov

### STATE OFFICIALS

**Governor John Engler (R)**, State Capitol, P.O. Box 30013, Lansing 48909. (517) 335-7858. Four-year term expires Jan. 1999. E-mail: migov@mail.state.mi.us

**Senator Alma Wheeler Smith (D-18th District)**, most of Washtenaw County, P.O. Box 30036, Lansing 48909-7536. (800) 344-2562, (517) 373-2406. Four-year term expires Jan. 1999. E-mail: senasmith@senate.state.mi.us

**Representative Liz Brater (D-53rd District)**, central and southern Ann Arbor, Pittsfield Twp., P.O. Box 30014, Lansing 48909. (800) 474-1247, fax: (517) 373-

5946. Local office: P.O. Box 7955, AA 48107. 668-7867. Two-year term expires Jan. 1999. E-mail: lbrater@house.state.mi.us

**Representative Mary Schroer (D-52nd District)**, northern and western Ann Arbor, western Washtenaw County, P.O. Box 30014, Lansing 48909. (517) 373-1792, fax: (517) 373-5175. Local office: 1911 Geddes, AA 48104. 662-6678. Two-year term expires Jan. 1999. E-mail: mschroe@house.state.mi.us

### COUNTY OFFICIALS

*Unless otherwise noted, county offices are located in the Washtenaw County Building, corner of Main and Huron streets, P.O. Box 8645, AA 48107-8645.*

**Clerk/Register of Deeds Peggy Haines (R)**. Four-year term expires Dec. 2000. 994-2506.

**Drain Commissioner Janis Bobrin (D)**. Four-year term expires Dec. 2000. 994-2525.

**Prosecuting Attorney Brian Mackie (D)**. Four-year term expires Dec. 2000. 994-2380.

**Sheriff Ronald Schebil (R)**, 2201 Hogback, AA 48107. Four-year term expires Dec. 2000. 971-8077.

**Treasurer Catherine McClary (R)**. Four-year term expires Dec. 2000. 994-2520.

**Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners**. The following six commissioners are elected from the Ann Arbor area and are serving two-year terms that expire January 1, 1999. Write them at the county building address above.


**District 4:** Carlos Acevedo (D). Home: 994-6355.

**District 5:** Barbara Levin Bergman (D). Home: 996-5891.

**District 9:** Vivienne N. Armentrout (D). Home: 668-8579.

**District 10:** P. Christina Montague (D). Home: 662-9908.

**District 12:** Leah Gunn (D). Home: 663-7307.


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## PLANNING & BUILDING

**Building Department**, sixth floor, City Hall. 994-2674. Department head Larry Pickel (994-2712) and his staff enforce city building codes, inspect rental property, manage four city appeal boards, and issue permits and licenses. The Building Department is divided into six divisions: Central Permit Desk, Housing Inspection Bureau, Plan Review Division, Construction Inspection Division, Appeals, and Historic Preservation Coordinator.

The **Central Permit Desk** (994-2674) issues permits related to construction activity. Other permits issued by this office include noise, sidewalk occupancy/barricade, parade, rallies, competitive events, street closings (including block parties), and permits to work in the public right-of-way. In addition, this desk conducts exams and issues licenses for workers in various skilled construction occupations, including appliance and sewer installers, and journey and master electricians. Licenses for peddlers and solicitors (including charitable organizations) are also administered by this division.

**Building permits** are required for any new construction, alterations, additions, garages/carports, decks, fences, sheds, or any repairs estimated to cost more than \$600. Permits are also required for the installation of all new electrical, plumbing, and heating/refrigeration work. To obtain a permit, contractors must submit an application form (available at this desk) and two drawings of the proposed work. Applications are reviewed for compliance with code and safety requirements. Fees are based on the cost of the project. Home owners also may apply for building permits, but must file an affidavit affirming they are doing the work themselves and meet with inspectors to demonstrate an understanding of the work to be done.

The **Housing Inspection Bureau** (994-2678) inspects all rental properties on an approximate cycle of once every 30 months. Tenants may request inspections based on specific complaints or problems. Buildings not in compliance with the city's housing ordinance will not be certified and cannot legally be rented or occupied. Rental property owners must live or have an office within 25 miles of the city or have a local agent.

those few surface lots not managed under contract by National Garages (for a complete downtown parking guide map, see Parking and Transportation, p. 27) and maintains the city airport grounds. It also coordinates leaf pickup, scheduled twice for each neighborhood in the fall, and snow removal from most streets when necessary in the winter (sidewalk snow removal is the responsibility of the property owner). Leaves should be raked into the street for pickup during the fall only. Dates of leaf removal are listed in the *Ann Arbor News* and in *For the People* (the city's newsletter) and shown on local cable television. The rest of the year, yard waste is collected by the city's composting program (see Solid Waste Department, above).

For **emergency street cleaning**, such as for broken glass, call 994-1617 weekdays till 2:30 p.m., or 994-2818 after 2:30 p.m. On weekends, call the Police Department at 994-2911.

**Street and sidewalk maintenance.** For pothole repair, call 99-HOLES. For fallen street signs or sidewalk repair, call 994-2818.

**Streetlights and traffic signals.** For inoperative streetlights or traffic signals, call 994-2818. Neighbors can petition to request additional streetlights and traffic signals. The city welcomes streetlight requests but fulfills only a limited number due to budget limitations; there is currently a waiting list. **On-street parking modifications** can also be requested by petition.

**Water Utilities Department**, fifth floor, City Hall. 994-2666. For after-hours emergencies, call 994-2840. This department, headed by Frank Porta, provides water, sewer, and storm water service to Ann Arbor and parts of the surrounding townships. It also offers emergency services (for water-main breaks, for instance) 24 hours a day. Residents of an area of the city that lacks an adequate sewer or a paved street can request improvements from this office or from the Engineering Department (994-2744). For all Ann Arbor buildings, water costs \$1.60/100 cubic feet (about 750 gallons). Sanitary sewer service costs \$1.97/100 cubic feet. Storm water service costs \$11.50 per quarter

## ANN ARBOR CITIZENS INFORMATION LINE 994-HELP

The city's automated information line provides recorded information about city government 24 hours a day. Using a Touch-Tone phone, dial 994-HELP (994-4357). At the voice prompt, enter any of the three-digit codes listed below to hear a message about that city service.

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## CITY OF ANN ARBOR Compostables



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Use 30-gallon paper bags (available from local retailers), or

Cut brush and branches to 3-4' lengths and tie into bundles up to 18" around. Tree limbs must be under 6" thick.

Each container may weigh up to 50 pounds.  
Plastic bags for yard materials are not accepted.  
Plastic bags are acceptable for trash.  
Place Compostables a few feet apart from refuse and recyclables on weekly collection day.  
Please do not mix in trash, stones or food.

All collected yard materials are shredded and composted. Cured, screened municipal compost and shredded mulch are available for sale from the Drop-Off Station, 2950 E. Ellsworth near Platt, 971-7400. Large quantity, mechanically-loaded sales are handled through the municipal Compost Center, 971-8600.

QUESTIONS? CALL THE SOLID WASTE DEPARTMENT, 994-2807  
OR THE 24-HOUR INFORMATION LINE, 99-GREEN (994-7336)



The **Plan Review Division** (994-2674) reviews all plans for any proposed construction activity. The city has adopted the BOCA National Codes as well as the National Electrical Code. This division also reviews plans for conformance to the State Barrier Free Design Rules and for zoning (994-2697) compliance.

The **Construction Inspection Division** (994-2674) inspects all permitted construction within the city. Inspections are usually made within 24 hours of request. This division also performs grading and site compliance inspections (994-2711) and handles complaints related to drainage nuisances and grading/soil erosion.

The **Appeals Board** (994-2696) secretaries administer the four boards of appeal: Building, Housing, Sign, and Zoning. Property owners can file a substantiated claim for waiver from the code requirements with the Building Department. Boards are empowered to act on requests after discussion at a monthly public hearing.

The **Historic Preservation Coordinator**, Louisa Pieper, also works out of the Building Department (996-3008). The coordinator acts as a liaison between owners of historic buildings and the Historic District Commission. The commission administers 14 historic districts, including the Old West Side, the Old Fourth Ward, Washtenaw/Hill, Main Street, State Street, and a Landmark Historic District. It has jurisdiction over buildings that have been designated as historic sites and deliberates proposed changes to the exteriors of those buildings. Commission personnel have a vast knowledge of the histories of city buildings and obligingly handle inquiries about them. The commission meets in city council chambers (second floor of City Hall) at 7:30 p.m. on the second Thursday of the month. The public is welcome, and the meetings are telecast live and replayed on cable Channel 10.

**Planning Department**, sixth floor, City Hall. 994-2800. The Planning Department, headed by Karen Popek Hart, acts as the administrative staff for the **Planning Commission**, a nine-member citizen body appointed by the mayor and city council. The commission makes recommendations to council on proposed site plans, zoning changes, and modifications of the city's master plan. All commission actions include at least one public hearing.

Council usually follows Planning Commission recommendations, but sometimes overrules it on controversial issues. The commission has final say on minor modifications for site plans and on special-exception uses (such as sorority houses in a residential zone) as defined by city zoning ordinances. The department makes **demographic and census information** (1990 census) available to the public and sells the city's basic planning documents for a small fee (\$2-\$10). In addition, planning staff is sometimes available to make presentations to local groups.

**Individuals concerned about a development proposal** are encouraged to call, stop by, or write to the Planning Department. You can also state your concerns or objections when the Planning Commission holds its public hearing on the issue. Strong debate is common at these hearings. Public hearings and action meetings are held the first and third Tuesdays of the month at 7 p.m. in council chambers (second floor). These meetings are telecast on cable Channel 10, and agendas are published in the *Ann Arbor News* (the Sunday before the meeting) and telecast over Channel 10 beginning the Friday before the meeting. A working session is held the second Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m. in City Hall's fourth-floor conference room.

## HUMAN SERVICES

**Community Development Department**, third floor, City Center Bldg., 220 E. Huron. 994-2912. Under director Eileen Ryan, this office provides funds for a number of community development projects. Low-income homeowners and nonprofit agencies can apply for low-cost loans for home improvements at this office. Community development also handles city funding of nonprofit programs including legal aid, emergency food programs,

crisis intervention, dental services, child care scholarships, and services for seniors, the homeless, and the mentally ill. Contact the office for a list of currently funded programs. About half of the money for these programs comes from the city's general fund; currently, the other half comes from federal block grants.

**Housing Commission**, 727 Miller Ave. (Miller Manor). 994-2828. Commission-owned housing is available to seniors, people with disabilities, and low-income families. The commission accepts applications on dates announced in the classified section of the *Ann Arbor News* and on the city's cable Channel 10. Applicants are placed on a waiting list; average wait is about four to six months. Rent is set at 30 percent of a tenant's income (minimum \$25). **Miller Manor**, at 727 Miller Rd., has 105 apartments for seniors and persons with disabilities and **Baker Commons**, at 106 Packard, has about 64. Housing for families and people with disabilities is spread across the city, often in duplexes and townhouses with two to four bedrooms per unit. The commission runs about 340 units in all, with 17 more scheduled to open in December. This office also handles the Section 8 federal subsidy program, under which tenants pay 30 percent (or more, depending on the apartment and HUD's price guidelines) of their adjusted gross income for rent of privately owned apartments. Again, check the *News* classifieds for application dates.

**Human Resources Department**, Suite 340, City Center Bldg., 220 E. Huron. 994-2803. The **Personnel Division** takes applications for all city jobs. New city job openings are posted every Tuesday afternoon. (Cable Channel 10 also displays job announcements on the message generator during off-air time.) A 24-hour job line also has updated information about current job openings (994-8106). Advice on

equal opportunity employment for adults and youths is also available. The **Human Rights Division** handles complaints about discrimination in employment, housing, and public accommodation and other violations of the city human rights ordinance. A nine-member **Human Rights Commission**, appointed by the mayor and city council, monitors problems with discrimination in Ann Arbor and makes recommendations to council and other bodies (such as the school board or the U-M) on ways to eliminate it.

## THE ANN ARBOR CITY CODE

A quick look at some things that are legal and illegal in Ann Arbor:

**Begging.** A 1996 ordinance regulates begging in the city. In most cases, solicitation of "the immediate payment of money or goods . . . whether or not in exchange for goods, services, or other consideration" is not allowed on private property. It's also prohibited on buses, at bus stations, in public parking structures, and within ten feet of an ATM. Panhandlers may not approach drivers in their cars, nor may they follow and continue to ask for money from someone who has turned them down.

**Boom boxes.** In city parks, it is illegal to "use any device transmitting electronically amplified sound, including, but not limited to, radios [and] tape recorders."

**Cars and pedestrians.** Except where it is specifically prohibited, turning right on a red light is legal after stopping and yielding to pedestrians and oncoming vehicles. It is legal to turn left on a red light onto a one-way street under the same circumstances.

It is illegal to drive past stopped school buses that are displaying two alternating flashing red lights. It is legal for pedestrians to cross the street against the light, or ignore a "don't walk"

signal, as long as there is no danger or obstruction of traffic. It is illegal to get into or out of a vehicle that is moving. It is illegal to drive "in such a manner as to splash snow, rain, water, mud, dirt, or debris" onto pedestrians.

**Domestic violence.** Ann Arbor's domestic violence law requires police to arrest people suspected of spousal abuse if there is reasonable cause to believe the abuse took place, without requiring that the other spouse press charges and without waiting for a complaint. Both of the people involved are offered counseling.

**Landlords and tenants.** The city produces a booklet entitled *Rights and Duties of Tenants*. City law requires that landlords distribute it to their tenants; failure to do so is punishable by fines of up to \$500. The booklet outlines city tenancy laws. Reflecting the succession of Democratic and Republican administrations that have governed Ann Arbor, one section was written by "tenant advocates," while a rebuttal from "landlord advocates" was added later.

**Landscaping.** Home owners are prohibited from growing vegetation (such as hedges) higher than 36 inches if that vegetation is within 25 feet of an intersection. Trees within that distance must be trimmed to provide clear vision of the intersection. No weeds, grass, or "other vegetation" higher than 16 inches is allowed to cover a lawn, or the city will mow your lawn for you—and give you the bill. "Fences charged or connected with an electrical current" are prohibited.

**Liquor.** The city code states that "[no] person shall consume liquor on the public streets" or in any business not licensed for on-premises liquor consumption. Certain events with outdoor liquor sales are exempt. Alcohol is not allowed in any city park unless a permit is obtained in advance.

**Marijuana.** Under the provisions of a charter amendment passed by voters in the 1970s, and amended by another ballot proposal in 1990, possession of small amounts of marijuana (one ounce is a rule-of-thumb limit in general use by the city government and police) is a civil infraction carrying a penalty of \$25 for the first offense, \$50 for the second offense, and not less than \$100 for the third offense. State law makes possession of any amount of the drug a criminal offense; small amounts are punishable by up to one year in jail and/or a fine of up to \$1,000. The city of Ann Arbor can choose to follow either its own law or the state law, according to its judgment in any individual case, so the city's fines don't always apply. The U-M's police force and county sheriff's deputies follow stricter state law.

**Pets.** Dog owners must have their dogs under "reasonable control" (that is, leashed or confined) at all times. They are also required to clean up after their dogs on both public and private property. Owners of all pets must provide proper food, drink, and shelter from the weather for their animals, as well as the medical attention necessary to prevent the animals from suffering. Animals may not be left confined without adequate ventilation. This includes being left inside a car with the windows up.

**Roller skates, sleds, coasting wagons, toy vehicles, or "similar devices."** None of these devices are allowed on streets, except to cross. Bikes on the roads before sunrise or more than a half hour after sunset must have headlights and rear reflectors, and "every bicycle shall be equipped with at least one effective brake." City council also has banned **skateboarding** in city parking structures, in Liberty Plaza, and on certain downtown sidewalks. The U-M Diag is off-limits to skateboarders as well.

## CITY SERVICES A-Z

Who to call for some specific city services. For general information and referrals, call 994-2700.

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| Abandoned appliances              | 994-2807 | Park use/shelter reservations   | 994-2780 |
| Abandoned cars                    | 994-2908 | Parking permits                 | 994-2707 |
| Affirmative action                | 994-2803 | Parking structure complaints    | 761-7235 |
| Animal control                    | 911      | Parking ticket: contesting      | 994-9172 |
| Art Fair permits (nonprofit)      | 913-0937 | Parking violations              | 994-2775 |
|                                   |          | Peddler/vendor permits          | 994-2674 |
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| Birth certificates                | 994-6535 | Police: nonemergency            | 994-2911 |
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| Business registration             | 994-2663 | vehicle & property              | 994-2874 |
|                                   |          | Pothole repair                  | 99-HOLES |
| Cable TV/CTN                      | 769-7422 | Property tax assessment         | 994-2663 |
| Cable TV complaints               | 994-1833 | Property tax collection         | 994-2833 |
| Cable TV service                  | 973-2266 |                                 |          |
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| Chamber of Commerce               | 665-4433 | Recycling: residential          | 971-7400 |
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| Compost Center                    | 994-2723 | Sidewalk use permits            | 994-2674 |
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|                                   |          | Street cleaning/repair          | 994-1617 |
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Branch post offices are located on Liberty at Fifth Ave. in downtown Ann Arbor (665-1112); in the Nickels Arcade (300 Maynard, 665-1117); and at 3000 Green (665-1118). The Nickels Arcade branch is scheduled to move to the Galleria on South University early in 1998.

If you need zip code or mailing information, calling the main post office (665-1100) will often get you nothing more than a busy signal. Try one of the small post offices in the county's outlying towns: Dexter (426-4747), Chelsea (475-1441), Saline (429-7550), Whitmore Lake (449-2061), Willis (461-9700), or others.

Driver's licenses and auto registration are handled by the Michigan Secretary of State. Offices are in Ann Arbor at 2121 W. Stadium in Boulevard Plaza (665-0627), and between Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti at 2720 Washtenaw, in Fountain Plaza (528-0923).

## COURT SYSTEM

General information about the judicial system is available toll-free anywhere in Michigan through Tele-Court, (800) 968-5669, an information line funded by the State Judicial Institute and administered by the State Court Administrative Office. Citizens can learn about the state's various courts, jury duty, victims' rights, wills, and many other issues.

### FEDERAL COURTS

**U.S. District Court**, eastern district of Michigan, 200 E. Liberty, in the Federal Building, 741-2380 (clerk of court). U.S. District Court hears civil and criminal cases involving federal law, and civil cases between citizens of different states alleging damages in amounts greater than \$75,000. Two judges and a magistrate hear cases in Ann Arbor. Judge Barbara Hackett presides; judge George LaPlata's retirement in August 1996 created an opening to be filled by presidential appointment. Other U.S. District Court cases for the southern division of the eastern district are heard in Detroit, Flint, and Port Huron; judge Charles Joiner is senior judge.

**U.S. Court of Appeals**, sixth circuit, Federal Building, 741-2300. Federal judge Ralph Guy presides.

**U.S. Bankruptcy Court**, eastern district of Michigan, (313) 234-0068. Cases filed in Detroit; hearings for Chapter 7 (liquidation) bankruptcies take place in the Federal Building in Ann Arbor every Monday afternoon. Bankruptcy trustees Basil Simon (313-962-6400) and Doug Ellman preside.

### COUNTY COURTS

Washtenaw County courts have a comprehensive Web site: [www.co.washtenaw.mi.us/depts/courts/index.htm](http://www.co.washtenaw.mi.us/depts/courts/index.htm).

**Circuit Court**. Washtenaw County is in the middle of an 18-month "demonstration project" to unify the court system, which since 1963 has been split into district, circuit, and probate courts. The county-funded Circuit Court consists of a Family Division and a Civil/Criminal Division.

The Family Division (994-2476) handles domestic relations, including divorce, personal protection orders (see below), juvenile delinquency, neglect and abuse cases, and estates and mental health. It confirms adoptions and grants parental waivers for minors who want to have an abortion without parental consent. As of 1997, parties in a divorce case are required to attend a mediation education session. Judges are Nancy Francis and John Kirkendall—probate judges assigned to Family Court—and Circuit Court judge Tim Connors. Judge Francis is in charge of the Juvenile Division (994-2440). Cases involving estates and mental health are heard downtown at 101

E. Huron; those involving juveniles are heard at 2270 Platt, on Ann Arbor's east side.

Anyone may petition the Circuit Court to issue a personal protection order to stop or restrain another person from acting to harass, beat, wound, stalk, or assault. If you are in immediate danger, you may request an ex parte order which is signed without a hearing and without notifying the other party; otherwise, a hearing will be scheduled. Forms are available at Court Services, 101 E. Huron (994-2507). There is no fee to file a complaint. Subsequent motions cost \$20 to file. A process server will charge a fee to serve the restrained party.

The Civil/Criminal Division (Court Services: 994-2507) hears all Circuit Court criminal and civil cases. These include criminal felonies and civil cases involving claims over \$10,000. Judges are Melinda Morris, Donald Shelton, Dave Swartz, and Kurt Wilder. Cases are heard at the County Building, 101 E. Huron, in downtown Ann Arbor.

**Friend of the Court**, first floor, County Courthouse. General, 994-2466; account information, 994-9261 (automated Touch-Tone line; have your case number ready). The Friend of the Court helps resolve domestic relation disputes involving divorce, child custody, visitation, support, and paternity. The office begins enforcement proceedings automatically if support payments fall behind and may review existing orders on request and suggest changes. Areas of enforcement include child custody, visitation and support judgments, and "spouse support" (alimony) payments. Mediation is available for child custody or visitation disputes, and a referee may hold formal hearings on income withholding, makeup visitation, and other court-referred domestic relations matters.

**Marriages** are performed by probate judges Nancy Francis (971-1293) and John Kirkendall (994-2476).

**District Courts** preside over criminal misdemeanors and felony preliminary exams and pleas, and hear civil cases that do not qualify for Circuit Court, including most landlord-tenant disputes. 15th District Court (994-2749) covers the city of Ann Arbor; judges are Elizabeth Pollard Hines, Ann Mattson, and Archie Cameron Brown. Judge John Collins presides over cases in District 14b, Ypsilanti Township (483-5300). District 14a includes the rest of the county, including the city of Ypsilanti; judges are Betty Widgeon, Kirk Tabbe, and Richard Conlin.

**Small Claims Court**, 994-2749. When the amount in dispute is \$1,750 or less, cases can be heard in Small Claims Court. (There is a \$500 limit for accident-caused damage to motor vehicles.) There are no lawyers, no jury, and no appeals. Filing fee is \$17, or \$32 for claims over \$600, payable at 15th District Court clerk's office in the county building. The court charges a small additional amount to serve papers. Cases are heard from three to four weeks after filing. A magistrate usually presides: James Sexsmith in District 15, Tom Truesdell in 14a, and Charles Pope in 14b.

**Jury Service**, 994-4995. Jurors are chosen at random from a list of licensed drivers in Washtenaw County. Service is for "one week or one trial." Compensation is \$7.50 per half day, \$15 per full day of jury service plus a mileage fee.

## WASHTENAW COUNTY GOVERNMENT

The general information line for Washtenaw County is 994-2400. TDD relay service for the hearing impaired: 994-1733. The county's mailing address is P.O. Box 8645, AA 48107. Web: [www.co.washtenaw.mi.us](http://www.co.washtenaw.mi.us)

County offices are scattered throughout Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti. Downtown Ann Arbor locations include the County Courthouse at 101 E. Huron, the County Administration Building, at 220 N. Main, and the Courthouse Annex, at 110 N. Fourth Ave. The Sheriff's Department is in the Service Center at 2201 Hogback and all human services groups are located in Ypsilanti, at 555 Towner.

This is a guide to the structure of county government. Specific county services are also listed in Community Services (p. 111), Health Care (p. 93), and Recreation (p. 129).

Washtenaw County, one of the first counties in Michigan, was established in 1822 and fully organized by 1827. An agent of the state government, the county government carries out responsibilities of the state. But it also has independent executive and, in a few cases, legislative powers.

The county has overlapping jurisdiction with the governments of the cities and townships within it. For instance, although the county Sheriff's Department provides law enforcement for the entire county, it usually is active only in areas that do not have their own police forces. The county does, however, prosecute all crimes that fall under state law, such as murder or arson. County government also carries out state law by issuing marriage licenses, recording births and deaths, and conducting the circuit courts, which operate under state laws. The county acts as the state's agent in funding departments that provide services to all citizens, such as the Human Services Group and the Department of Social Services.

**Board of Commissioners**, 220 N. Main. Commission information, 996-3055; agenda information tape, 994-2401. The chief policymaking body of county government, the board has 15 members, elected to two-year terms. (For a list of commissioners, see Elected Officials, p. 21.) Their duties include the adoption of countywide ordinances, oversight of county operations and facilities, adoption of the annual budget for county government, including all county departments, and establishment of and appointments to county boards, committees, and commissions. Commission working sessions are held the first and third Thursdays of the month at 6:30 p.m.; board meetings are the first and third Wednesdays of the month at 6:45 p.m., preceded by a ways and means committee meeting at 6:30 p.m. In summer, all meetings are held the first week of the month only. If holidays interfere with this schedule, call 996-3055 for new meeting times.

**County Administrator**, 220 N. Main, 994-6451. Appointed by the Board of Commissioners, administrator Bob Guenzel is responsible for the overall management of county departments, agencies, and offices.

**County Clerk/Register of Deeds**, 101 E. Huron, 994-1638. This combined office is headed by an elected official: clerk Peggy Haines. She and her staff maintain official county records (births, deaths, marriages, divorces, military discharges, business names, concealed weapons permits), monitor the conduct of elections, and maintain all county property records.

**Marriage licenses** are \$20 (\$30 for out-of-state residents). Among the necessary documents are a health certificate (available from local physicians and clinics), a valid driver's license or state I.D., and a certified birth certificate. If one of the partners has been divorced within the last year, a divorce certificate is also required. Call 994-6592 for a recording listing the complete current license requirements.

**County Treasurer**, 101 N. Fourth Ave., 994-2520. The custodian of county funds, treasurer Catherine McClary receives county revenues, invests funds, collects delinquent property taxes, collects inheritance taxes, keeps records of tax histories, and sells tax liens against real estate on which taxes have gone unpaid for at least three years. Call this office for dog license information if you live outside the city of Ann Arbor.

**Drain Commissioner**, 110 N. Fourth Ave., Suite 202, 994-2525. The elected drain commissioner, Janis Bobrin, handles problems such as pollution and storm-water management and develops water and land use strategies for flood and erosion control. The drain commissioner has jurisdiction over many urban and most outlying storm drains and waterways within the county and is responsible for



preventing or abating storm-drain pollution, and providing information on water quality to the public. E-mail: drains@co.washtenaw.mi.us

**Emergency Management**, 2201 Hogback Rd. Business: 971-1152. Emergency: 911. This office, managed by Marc Breckenridge, coordinates the dissemination of vital information during emergencies, including severe weather, fires, floods, and spills of hazardous materials, and responds to large-scale disasters in the county. County residents should tune to WAAM (1600 AM), WEMU (89.1 FM), and other county radio stations for information during an emergency.

**Environment and Infrastructure Services**, 110 N. Fourth Ave., Suite 200. 994-6361. Environmental Health: 971-4542. Building Inspection and Consumer Protection: 971-1441. This office, managed by Rebecca A. Head, provides public health and safety services. **Environmental Health** conducts health and safety inspections of food service establishments, day care centers, and mobile home parks. It also performs water quality and safety inspections of pools and bathing beaches, inspects wells and septic systems, investigates reports of environmentally related illnesses (including lead poisoning), and provides assistance with radon and other environmental testing. **Building Inspection** performs electrical, mechanical, and plumbing inspections in townships and villages without their own building departments, and provides soil erosion control.

**Human Resources**, 220 N. Main. Recorded job line: 994-2409. County job openings are posted in the first-floor lobby of this building, and applications are available there. New postings go up every Monday. This is an excellent place to find temporary summer jobs at such places as county recreation facilities.

**Planning Department**, 110 N. Fourth Ave., fourth floor. 994-2435. Planning director Mark McFadden and his staff offer professional planning advice to county departments and to the Planning Commission (appointed by the Board of Commissioners for three-year terms). With the planning commissioners, the department develops master plans for county land use and undertakes surveys of the economic, social, environmental, and physical development of the county. The office is also an official U.S. Census repository and provides census information (at a small fee).

The county's **Historic District Commission** (call Ina Hanel, 994-2435) is also housed in this office. The commission oversees historic districts in the county's townships and works on educational projects.

**Prosecuting Attorney**, 101 E. Huron. 994-2380. Prosecuting attorney Brian L. Mackie and his assistants are responsible for the prosecution of criminal cases in the county that fall under state law. The prosecutor, an elected official, is the chief law enforcement officer for the county. The prosecutor must authorize, in writing, any criminal prosecution. The prosecutor also represents all children in divorce cases, enforces child support, and handles juvenile court administrative matters. Call 994-2385 for questions about child support. Staff of the **Victim Witness Assistance Program** (996-3026) inform victims of their rights and about the status of their cases.

**Public Defender**, 101 E. Huron. 994-2444. Reporting to the Board of Commissioners, public defender Lloyd Powell and his staff provide legal counsel to indigent and partially indigent people facing charges in criminal or civil cases. The public defender is appointed by the courts and does not take outside cases.

**Public Works**, 110 N. Fourth Ave. 994-2398. The Division of Public Works in the Office of Environmental and Infrastructure Services, supervised by Daniel Myers, manages county programs involving solid waste disposal. It also assists local units of government in meeting future water and wastewater treatment needs throughout the county. It runs the **Home Toxics Reduction Program** for hazardous household waste (971-7356).

**Road Commission**, 555 N. Zeeb, Scio Twp. (mailing address: P.O. Box 1528, AA 48106). 761-1500. Most paved and dirt roads in outlying areas of the county are maintained by road commission personnel and their managing director, Robert L. Polens. (The streets in many new suburban developments are privately owned and maintained.)

**Sheriff**, 2201 Hogback Rd. 971-8400. For all emergencies, call 911. Sheriff Ron Schebil, an elected official, enforces all criminal, civil, and traffic laws of the county and conducts investigations of unusual, violent, or accidental deaths. The sheriff executes the orders of the courts, arrests and detains accused offenders, manages the county jail facilities, and coordinates various law enforcement activities of the county and the state. In outlying areas of the county, the Sheriff's Department responds to calls for assistance and provides uniformed road patrols.

## TOWNSHIP & VILLAGE GOVERNMENTS

The communities surrounding Ann Arbor all have grown explosively in recent years. At times they have squabbled with the city over the linked issues of development, annexation, and utilities. The various townships maintain different levels of services, leaving Washtenaw County to provide the ones they don't offer. Significant portions of four neighboring townships are included in the area served by the Ann Arbor Post Office and the Ann Arbor Public School District:

**Ann Arbor Township**, offices at 3792 Pontiac Tr. 663-3418. **Police and fire: call 911.** The township employs a full-time police officer, contracted through the county Sheriff's Department. To reach this officer on nonemergency matters, call the township offices at 663-3418. Township officials: supervisor Elizabeth Langford, 663-3418; clerk Catherine Braun, 663-3418; treasurer Virginia A. Forshee, 663-1699. Other services: assessor, 663-1699; building inspector, 663-1855; rubbish/recyclables collection, 663-3418; and utilities, 663-1855.

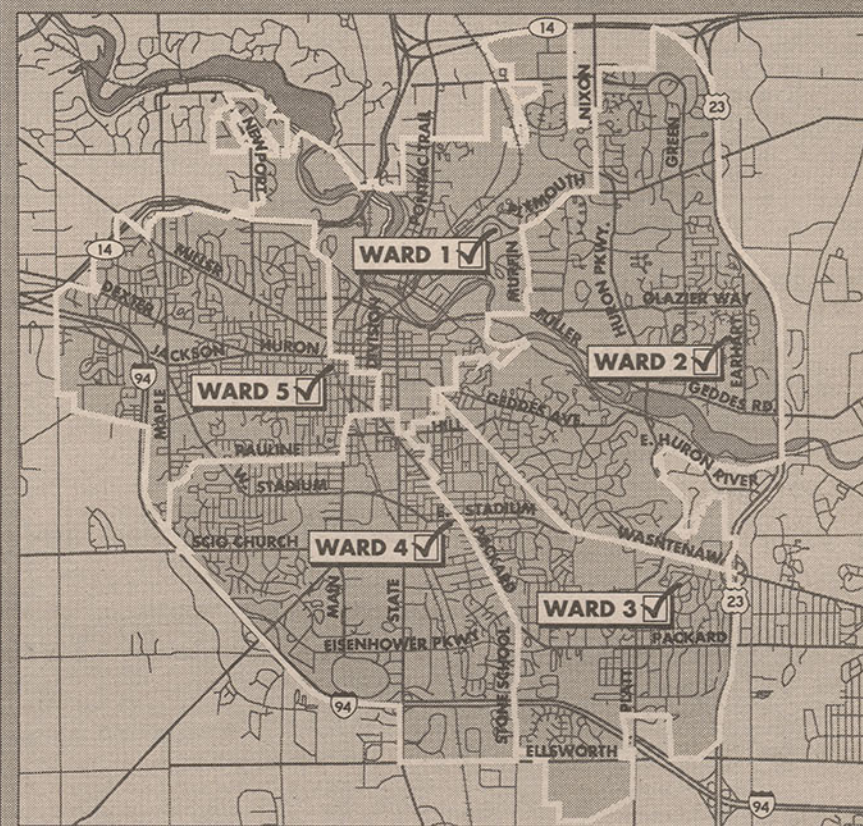
**Village of Barton Hills**, P.O. Box 7554, AA 48107. 665-5574. Village Board of Trustees meets at Village Hall, 195 Barton Shore Dr. **Police and fire: call 911.** For nonemergency police and fire calls, call the county sheriff, 971-8400. Village officials (call village office): president Fred Pickard, maintenance supervisor Walter Esch, clerk Doris Foss, and assistant clerk Jan Esch.

**Lodi Township**, offices at 3755 Pleasant Lake Rd. 665-7583, fax: 665-3212. **Police and fire: call 911.** For nonemergency police calls, call the county sheriff, 971-8400. Township officials: supervisor Jan Godek, 663-8576; clerk Elaine E. Masters, 665-3094; treasurer Jody Miller, 663-8779. Other services (call township offices): assessor, planning commission, and zoning office.

**Pittsfield Township**, offices at 6201 W. Michigan (US-12), AA 48108. 944-4440. **Police and fire: call 911.** The nonemergency police and fire number is 944-4911 (public safety). Township officials: supervisor Doug Woolley, 944-1148; clerk Judith Walter, 944-1637; treasurer Robert Skrobola, 944-3140. Other services: assessor, 944-1430; building dept., 944-1740; planning commission, 944-0470; recreation dept. (the township maintains several parks), 996-3056; utilities, 944-1325 (for water and sewer emergencies after hours, call 944-4440).

**Scio Township**, offices at 827 N. Zeeb Rd. 665-2123. **Police and fire: call 911.** The non-emergency number for the Fire Department is 665-6001. The county sheriff's office number is 971-8400; the Scio sheriff's substation is 994-8105. Township officials (call township offices): supervisor Robert Tickle, clerk Gay Konschuh, and treasurer Donna Palmer. Other services (call township offices): assessor, development authority, planning commission, utilities, and zoning offices. Township residents may deposit **recyclables** at the 24-hour drop-off station behind the township offices.

## 1997 ANN ARBOR CITY COUNCIL



City council members are elected to two-year terms in staggered elections: one council person from each ward runs yearly. To learn the names of your current council representatives, find your neighborhood on the above map, or call 994-2885. All council members whose terms expire in November 1997 are running for reelection.

If you cannot reach council members at the phone numbers listed below, the council message line (994-3313) can relay your concerns.

**Mayor Ingrid B. Sheldon (R)**. City Hall: 994-2766; home: 1416 Folkstone, AA 48105, 665-5893. Term expires Nov. 1998.

### WARD 1

**Tobi Hanna-Davies (D)**. City Hall: 994-2702; home: 1549 Broadway, AA 48105, 662-7869. Term expires Nov. 1998.

**Pat Vereen-Dixon (D)**. City Hall: 994-2702; home: 2367 Arrowwood, AA 48105, 662-7869. Term expires Nov. 1997.

### WARD 2

**David Kwan (R)**. Home: 1909 Day, AA 48104, 662-4880. Term expires Nov. 1997.

**Jane Lumm (R)**. Home: 2317 Devonshire, AA 48104, 668-7649. Term expires Nov. 1998.

### WARD 3

**Jean Carlberg (D)**. City Hall: 994-2702; home: 1902 Independence, AA 48104, 769-4493. Term expires Nov. 1998.

**Heidi Cowing Herrell (D)**. City Hall: 994-2702; home: 2896 Sharon, AA 48108, 973-3125. Term expires Nov. 1997.

### WARD 4

**Stephen C. Hartwell (D)**. City Hall: 994-2702; home: 2956 Whittier, AA 48104, 971-9163. Term expires Nov. 1998.

**Patrick A. Putman (R)**. Home: 1512 Marian, AA 48103, 662-0487. Term expires Nov. 1997.

### WARD 5

**Elisabeth Daley (D)**. City Hall: 994-2702; home: 303 Mulholland, AA 48103, 930-0626. Term expires Nov. 1998.

**Christopher Kolb (D)**. City Hall: 994-2702; home: 803 Edgewood Pl., AA 48103, 663-6236. Term expires Nov. 1997.



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- 3. Pioneer High School**  
Stadium and Main. Every 15 minutes to and from downtown and the U-M Medical Center. Routes 7, 14, 16.
- 4. Arborland Mall**  
Every 15 minutes to and from downtown, central campus, and the U-M Medical Center. Route 4.
- 5. State Street Commuter Lot**  
North of Eisenhower Parkway. Every 15 minutes to and from central campus. Faculty, staff, and students ride free with U-M ID. Route 36.



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# PARKING & TRANSPORTATION



PETER YATES

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Parking was one of 1997's hottest political issues in Ann Arbor. The city leases all of its parking structures and its three largest parking lots (Ashley at William, the District Library lot, and Huron at Ashley) to the Downtown Development Authority (DDA). When the DDA abruptly announced late in 1996 that several structures were badly deteriorated and that additional city funds would be needed to repair them, the news triggered a debate about the group's priorities. In August 1997, city council approved the DDA's full rehabilitation plan, which calls for spending more than \$20 million on the structures over the next few years.

Unfortunately, the DDA's alarm was sounded very late: one structure, at Fourth Avenue and Washington, had to be closed in the spring of 1997 for safety reasons. Council has voted to have it demolished and rebuilt within the next few years. As an interim replacement, the DDA plans to create a temporary surface lot two blocks away, on Huron across from City Hall. The lot was expected to be in operation by fall 1997.

The upper levels of the Forest Avenue structure are also closed for safety reasons. The DDA plan also calls for demolishing and completely rebuilding that structure—a project that will compound what is already an extremely tight parking situation around the U-M's Central Campus.

A private company, National Garages,

operates the city's parking structures and major lots. The company has converted them all to attended operation. This not only allows parkers to avoid expired meters and the tickets that go with them, but it also allows about a hundred downtown merchants to validate their customers' parking coupons.

Public transportation in Ann Arbor is funded through a dedicated millage for the Ann Arbor Transportation Authority (AATA). In addition to an extensive bus line system, the millage supports a wide variety of late-night, senior, and handicapped transportation services. See Special Services, below.

## CITY PARKING

### PARKING LOTS & STRUCTURES

See map on p. 28.

The six operating city parking structures and three major surface lots are managed by National Garages (761-7235). The Ann Arbor Parking Operations Office, 994-2707, continues to supervise all smaller metered lots.

City lots and structures are designated by white signs with a large green P inside a green circle. About half of the city-owned spaces are generally occupied all day by monthly parking permit holders (see below).

Attended and metered spaces in parking structures cost 50¢ an hour. Lot parking costs 60¢ an hour. The DDA plans to increase these rates 10¢/year for the next few years, to pay for repairs to the structures. Hours of operation are posted at each facility. Typical hours are Mon.-Sat. 7 a.m.-3 a.m. Parking in all structures is free on Sundays.

The structure at Washington and First is exclusively for holders of monthly parking permits during the day, but the public can park there for \$1 after 5 p.m. and on Saturdays. \$1

parking is also available nights and Saturdays at the Tally Hall structure (between Washington and Liberty, near the Michigan Theater), and on Saturdays at the Ann-Ashley structure. The parking structure at Fourth Avenue and Washington is closed indefinitely.

### CITY PARKING METERS

The city's 1,513 metered curbside spaces in the downtown-campus area cost 60¢ an hour (the price is expected to go up soon). Most on-street meters need to be fed Mon.-Sat. 8 a.m.-6 p.m. Pay attention to the maximum time allowed by the meter (the longest time you are allowed to park there). Returning to feed the meter for time beyond that limit may result in a ticket.

For a small fee and a deposit, metered parking spaces can be reserved for private occasions such as weddings. Call 994-2707. Businesses can also temporarily reserve spaces for construction access or other needs.

### PARKING VIOLATIONS

The fine for an expired meter is \$3 if paid within one hour, \$5 if paid within two weeks. Beyond two weeks, the cost jumps to \$15, and it can go as high as \$25 if the ticket is ignored. (Tickets issued at U-M meters cost more; see below.) Other penalties, including additional fines and auto impoundment, are invoked if a driver has four or more tickets in default. Fines for most other parking violations are \$15 if paid within two weeks. The fine is \$75 for parking in a handicapped parking zone. Violating city snow-removal parking restrictions brings a fine of \$30 or more.

The Parking Violations Bureau, on the first floor of City Hall, is open Mon.-Fri. 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Pay parking tickets by mail or drop them off at the drive-through window (Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-4 p.m.) on the north side of City Hall. To pay expired-meter fines within

*The Ann Arbor and U-M parking systems explained, and a guide to getting around by bicycle, bus, and taxi.*

*Yellow Cab's fleet also provides low-cost transportation for seniors through AATA's "Good as Gold" program.*

the one-hour time limit during nonbusiness hours, go to the first floor of City Hall (open 24 hours), where there is a time stamp and a drop box. Visa and MasterCard are now accepted for payment of parking tickets. Once ticket information is entered into the city's computer system (typically one or two days after the ticket is issued), you can make payment by phone. Have your credit card number and your violation number handy.

Tickets can be appealed to the **Parking Violations Referee**, in person or by mail, by claiming unusual circumstances and providing an explanation. The referee will investigate the claim and issue a ruling. About 30 percent of all appealed tickets are waived or reduced by the referee, but don't expect to have an expired-meter fine dismissed because a meeting or class ran late! Determined challengers can appeal decisions to district court.

### PARKING PERILS

Ann Arbor enforces its parking laws aggressively, so it pays to be aware of the perils of the local system. Backing cars into the spaces in lots or structures is not allowed. It is illegal to park at a meter longer than the number of hours the meter is set to measure. In the central business district, parking is banned between 3 a.m. and 6 a.m., to allow for street cleaning. Straddling two street parking spaces or parking on the dividing line in a parking lot can earn a ticket. You may also be ticketed if you park more than 12 inches from the curb, or if you park fewer than 4 feet from a curb cut. Cars that appear to be abandoned may be tagged with a towing sticker: if they aren't moved within 48 hours, they may be towed and impounded. The greatest risk of all, however, is to allow unpaid parking tickets to accumulate. The city regularly tows and impounds cars whose drivers have four or more parking tickets in default.

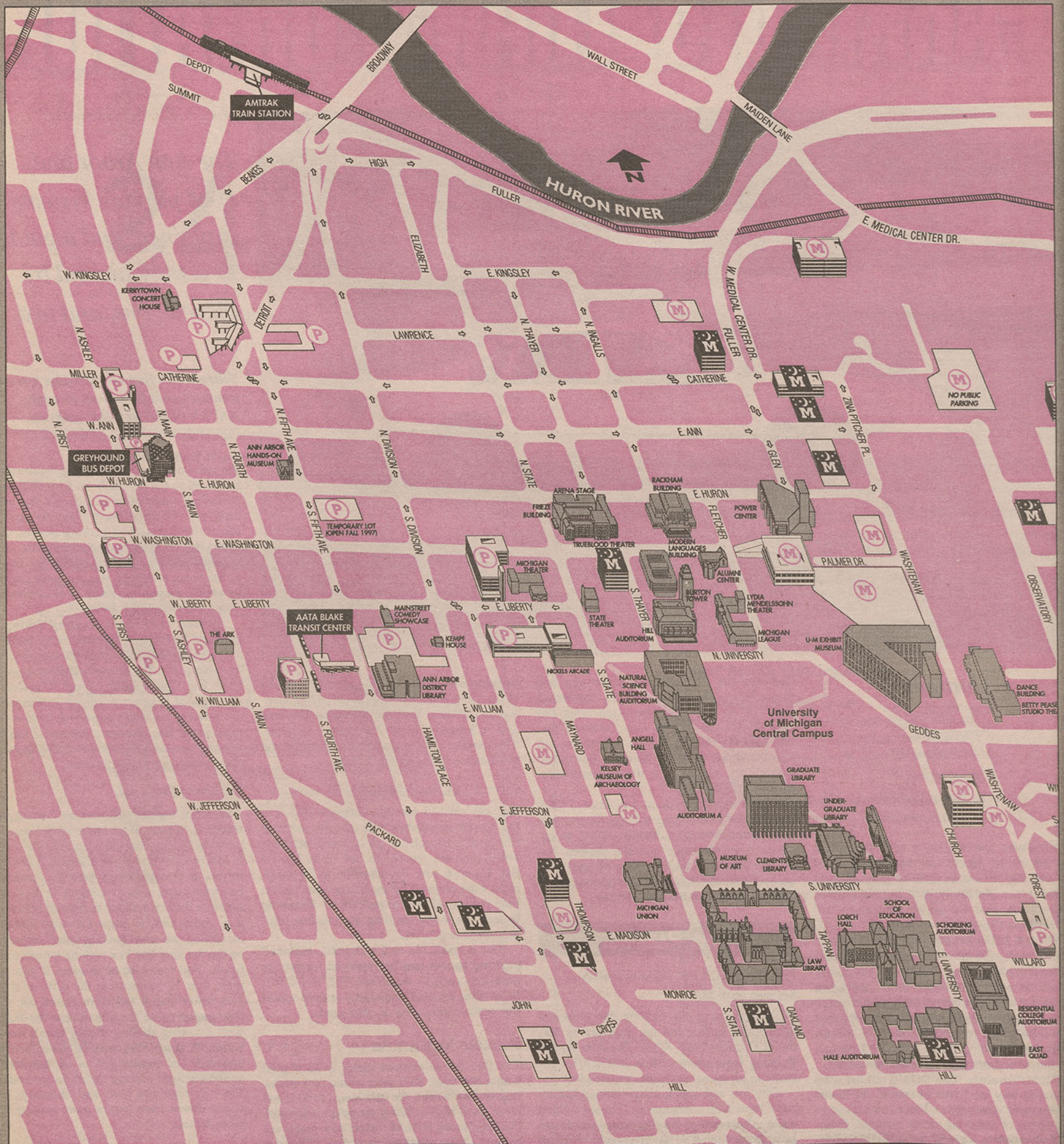
### IMPOUNDMENT TOWING

Every day in Ann Arbor, two dozen people, on average, return to their parking spots to find their cars missing. City contractors tow away more than 4,000 vehicles a year, the vast majority of them for unpaid parking tickets. Property owners probably tow at least that many, usually for parking illegally in a private lot.

If your vehicle vanishes, first contact the Police Department (994-2875) to find out whether it was towed. If it was towed by the city, the first stop is at the front desk in the lobby of City Hall. After paying a \$20 pro-



# PARKING IN CENTRAL ANN ARBOR



**CITY PARKING LOTS  
& STRUCTURES**



**U-M PARKING LOTS  
& STRUCTURES  
WITH PUBLIC PARKING**



**U-M STAFF LOTS  
& STRUCTURES  
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cessing fee plus any old, unpaid tickets, you will be allowed to fill out a release form. (You'll also be given any new tickets placed on your car before it was towed.) You must be a registered owner of the vehicle and present your driver's license. You will then be informed where your vehicle has been towed and given the towing company's phone number. If your vehicle was towed from private property, you will not need to pay the \$20 processing fee. In either case, you'll need to arrange your own transportation to the impound lot and pay all towing fees before you see your vehicle again.

The city currently uses four towing companies: **Brewer's**, 1763 Plymouth (663-6019); **Glen-Ann Towing**, 201 Glen (668-8877); **Sakstrup's Towing**, 3055 Packard Rd. (971-7421); and **Triangle Towing**, 191 Hiscock (761-5696). Towing and storage charges vary, but range from \$55 to \$58 for a standard "wheel lift" tow and run about \$10 for each day the vehicle is stored—so pick it up quickly to avoid extra charges. The companies vary as to the forms of payment they will accept. Some do not accept checks or only take checks drawn on local banks, so be sure to call first. Although all of the towing companies take credit cards, Triangle Towing only accepts them for city impounds; private property tows are cash only. You will need to show your driver's license here as well.

## HANDICAPPED PARKING

Handicapped parking spaces in public and private lots are restricted to vehicles with handicapped permits or license plates. These spaces are usually marked with the symbol of a person in a wheelchair. Meter fees must be paid even by those with handicapped status. (A secondary sticker is required to avoid paying meters; documentation of inability to pay is required.)

The Michigan Secretary of State (offices at 2121 W. Stadium and 2730 Carpenter) issues **handicapped permits and license plates** for the disabled. An application must be completed by the handicapped individual's physician.

## PARKING PERMITS

Parking permits allow all-day parking in specific lots and structures in the city system, although they do not guarantee the availability of parking spaces. National Garages now manages the parking permits for all available city spaces with the exception of the lot at First and William (see below). Permits for National Garages—managed spaces cost \$70 a month (\$75 for nonresidents). All permit parkers also need a key-card (a refundable \$15 deposit is charged). Permits are issued on a first-come, first-served basis; call to inquire about space availability before applying. Applications and initial payment are taken at the National Garages office (761-7235) on the first floor of the Ann-Ashley parking structure, 220 N. Ashley, between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. or by appointment.

The cost of a permit in the city-managed lot at First and William is only \$40 a month (\$45 for nonresidents). Call the city's Parking Operations Office (994-2707) for permit availability, which is limited. Permits for this lot must be purchased at the Parking Operations office, 415 W. Washington (second floor), during the first and last weeks of the month (Mon.-Fri. 7 a.m.-3:30 p.m.).

## U-M PARKING

**U-M Parking Services**, 508 Thompson, 764-8291. University parking facilities are identified by signs posted at the entrance of each lot and structure. They indicate the location number, parking tier (see below), permits required, and enforcement hours. The signs also indicate whether visitor parking is permitted. The U-M has **metered visitor spaces** spread throughout all of its campuses. The U-M meter rate is 50¢ an hour. On Central Campus, a good place to search for short-term parking is at the metered visitor lot adjacent to

the Thompson Street parking structure. There are also 2,000 cashier-controlled visitor spaces in the Taubman (Medical Campus) and Fletcher (Central Campus) parking structures. Hourly fees at the Taubman structure total \$4.50/day; at Fletcher \$5/day. No reservations are accepted for these facilities.

In addition to the lots and structures that have visitor parking, the public may also park in the staff lots and structures during most evenings and some weekend days. For the most part, **parking during nonrestricted hours** is free; however, an entrance fee may be charged during special events. Vehicles without U-M permits may park in Central Campus parking areas Mon.-Sat. after 6 p.m., and all day Sun.—except in the Fletcher Street structure, which is available to the public Mon.-Sat. after 10 p.m., and all day Sun. The Coliseum lot on Hill Street is open to the public Mon.-Fri. after 6 p.m., and all day Sat. & Sun. Most of the lots and structures on the Medical Campus are open to nonpermit vehicles Mon.-Fri. after 5 p.m., and all day Sat. & Sun. But the surface lots next to the hospital and the staff areas in the structures on North and East Medical Center Drives are restricted to staff permit holders 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

University police patrol the parking system and issue parking **citations**, payable to the City of Ann Arbor. Under contract with the university, the city handles all appeals and payment for university parking citations, and forwards collections to the U-M. Tickets issued at U-M meters are \$6 if paid within one hour, \$10 if paid within two weeks. The fee increases to \$15 after 14 days. Parking without a permit in university faculty/staff parking areas will cost you \$20 if paid immediately, \$25 after 14 days. Handicapped space violations are \$100.

University faculty and staff may choose from among five tiers of parking access: **gold, blue, yellow, orange, and green**, ranging from all access (gold: \$862) to least access (green: free). Gold gives the greatest access to parking in campus core areas. There are two styles of permits, hang tag or static cling, either of which may be transferred from one vehicle to another. Eligibility for permits is determined by university job classification. Eligible employees may pay for parking permits by payroll deduction, cash, check, or credit card (Visa/MasterCard). Employees who make full payment at the time of purchase receive a 5 percent discount.

Most U-M students are eligible to buy only yellow or orange stickers; fees are \$210-\$490/year, depending on lot location. Permits for the 1997-1998 school year go on sale September 4, 1997, at the Parking Services office located at 508 Thompson. Permits are issued on a first-come, first-served basis. Students must furnish proof of their enrollment.

Green permits are available any time for registered students, staff, and temporary workers. They give access only to satellite parking lots located on North Campus (at Glazier Way and Huron Parkway) and south of Central Campus (at Kipke Drive and on South State). Free bus transportation is provided by University Transportation Services or the AATA. Presentation of a valid U-M identification card is required to ride the buses for free from the South State lot.

Contact Parking Services, 764-8291, option 7, for further information.

## TRANSPORTATION

### AIRPORTS & AIRPORT TRANSPORTATION

**Ann Arbor Airport**, State and Ellsworth roads. 994-2841. Ann Arbor Airport has over 100,000 takeoffs and landings annually. The airport handles business, corporate, and private flights, providing air ambulance service, flight instruction, and charter service. Repairs, fuel, and hangar rentals are available. A courtesy phone in the terminal lobby connects directly to area hotels, cab services, and aviation services. The airport is located south of the city,

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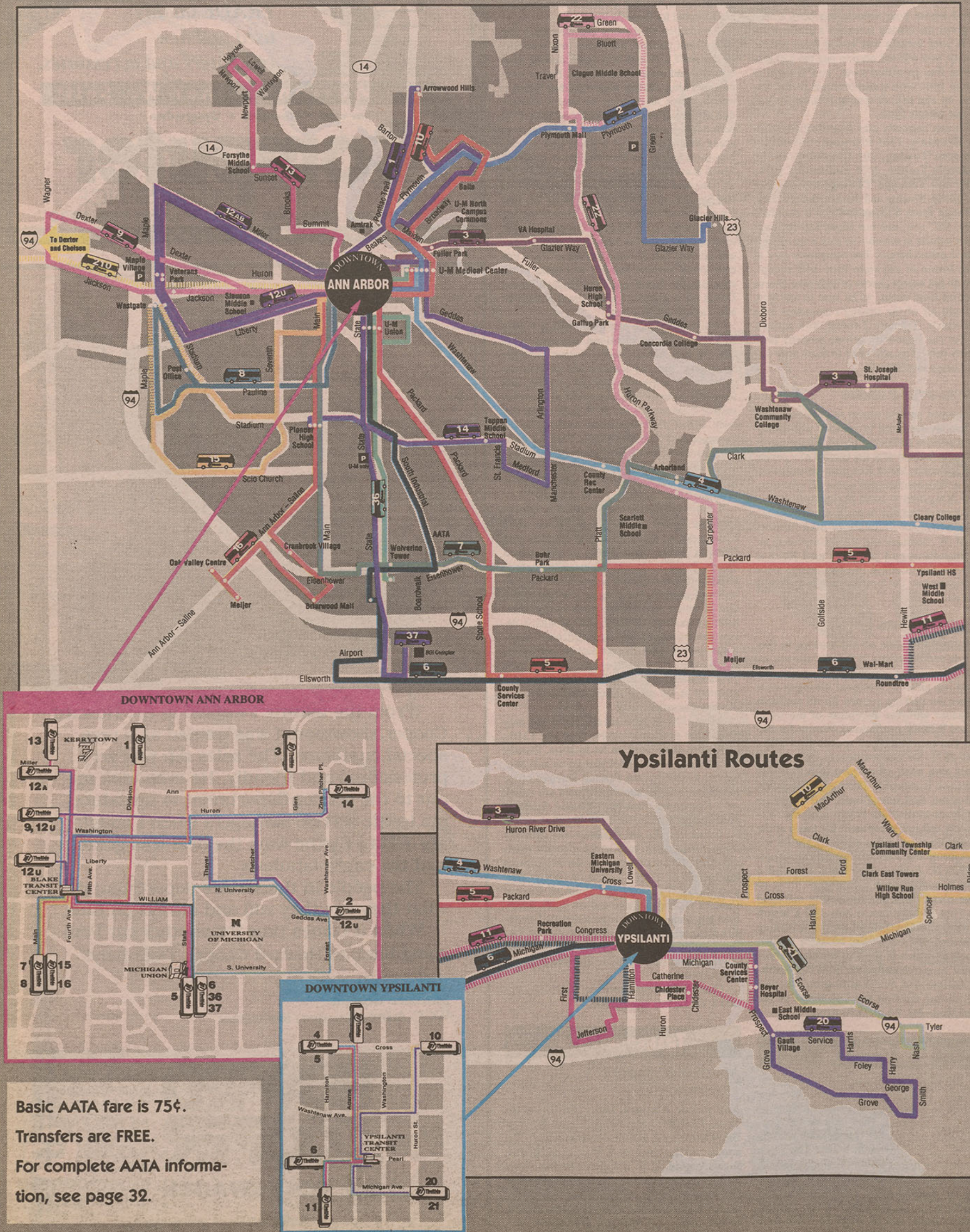
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**Wayne County Detroit Metropolitan Airport (DTW).** (313) 942-3550. "Metro" is a major airport (over 30 million passengers in 1996) offering regional, national, and international flights. It is a hub for Northwest Airlines and is served by ten other regularly scheduled domestic airlines as well as a number of charters and air taxis. International flights are handled by KLM, British Airways, and Northwest. For specific flight information, call the individual airlines or a travel agent.

Metro is located off I-94 at the Merriman exit, approximately 25 miles east of Ann Arbor. The Merriman Road-Metro Airport exit leads to Rogell Drive, which circles Metro's facilities. The Berry International Terminal is the first of three terminals on the right. This terminal handles most international arrivals and a few international departures. The road then splits into upper and lower roadways. The upper roadway leads to departure/drop-off areas and the lower to arrival/pickup areas. The Davey Terminal is home to Northwest and KLM. Just beyond that is the Marriott Hotel, and at the south end of the Rogell loop is the L. C. Smith Terminal, which houses all other domestic airlines servicing Metro.

Metro Airport provides 13,000 parking spaces. For up-to-the-minute traffic and parking conditions, the airport offers a 24-hour, toll-free **parking hotline:** (800) 642-1978. It is advisable to call, especially during busy holiday seasons. The airport also provides radio parking information at 920 AM.

**Short-term parking** is convenient for brief visits, such as dropping off or picking up passengers, but can be extremely expensive for longer stays. For very quick stops, there are a few **metered spaces** along the curb for 25¢/minute. The most economical flat-rate parking can be found in the **Green and Yellow long-term lots** off Rogell Drive (follow the signs), at \$6/day. All parking lots at Metro provide free shuttle service to the terminal buildings.

Because it is covered and offers hourly rates for up to six hours and a flat rate of \$10/day, the **parking deck** is a popular option. Pedestrian bridges to the terminal buildings are glass-enclosed, temperature-controlled, and equipped with moving walkways. **Luggage cart rental** (\$1.50) is available inside the deck. Carts may be returned in the terminals at designated locations. Signs within and around the deck direct you to parking areas that serve particular airlines.

**Valet parking** is available for a flat rate of \$18/day and is available off Rogell just past the traffic light at the entrance to the Yellow

lot. Discounts are available for corporations that register in advance with the valet service at (313) 942-4865. **Handicapped parking** is available with wheelchair-equipped vans that meet you at your vehicle upon arrival and at the terminal upon return. Call (313) 941-6855 to arrange this service.

There are six **private parking lots** with over 15,000 spaces north of I-94. All lots offer 24-hour shuttle service to Metro terminals. They cost \$5.50-\$6.50/day. Contact Airlines Parking, (313) 728-6066; Budget, (313) 326-1090; Express Parking, (313) 326-4530; Park and Go, (313) 729-3999; U.S. Park, (313) 946-9360; and VIP Airport Parking, (313) 955-9500. Express Parking offers an AAA discount. A **free parking lot brochure** is available from the airport's External Relations office: (313) 942-3558.

Transportation to Metro from the U-M's Michigan Union and all area hotels and motels is available by reservation seven days a week from the **Commuter Transportation Company**, (800) 488-7433 or 763-8587 (U-M Michigan Union Ticket Office). At least one white or blue van leaves the Michigan Union every hour on the quarter-hour from 5:15 a.m. to 7:15 p.m. (After 7:15 p.m., the Union stop is made only by prior reservation.) Transportation to Metro is available until 8:50 p.m. Make reservations a day before your trip to ensure that there will be seats available.

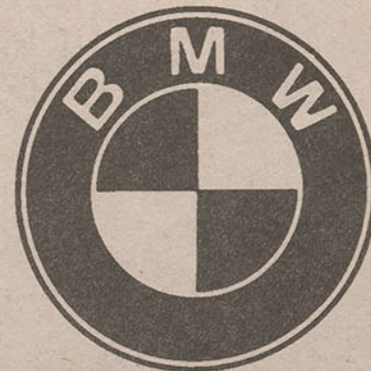
From Metro, Commuter vans leave both the north and south terminals (lower level) once every hour from 7 a.m. to midnight. The one-way trip takes about an hour and 15 minutes. No reservations are required for travel from the airport to Ann Arbor. Tickets can be purchased at the U-M Michigan Union Ticket Office (basement level) for \$17 one-way or \$32 round-trip (this office does **not** accept credit cards). At most area hotels, or at Metro, tickets are \$18 one-way or \$34 round-trip.

Door-to-door transportation to Metro is provided by **Transit Passenger Services**, 769-2135. Service is available by reservation only, between 7 a.m. and 9:30 p.m. Rates are \$18 for one person, \$26 for two, \$30 for three, and \$35 for as many people as can fit in the van. All four local limousine companies (see below) offer service to and from Metro Airport. Service is often available 24 hours a day at a flat rate.

#### BICYCLES

It's possible to reach almost any part of the city on the marked network of street, sidewalk, and park bike lanes and paths. (See map in Recreation, p. 129.) The city has **bike lockers** at two locations: City Hall and the Amtrak Depot. Lockers offer bike commuters a low-cost way (\$45 for the whole year) to keep their bikes safe and dry while at work. Call the

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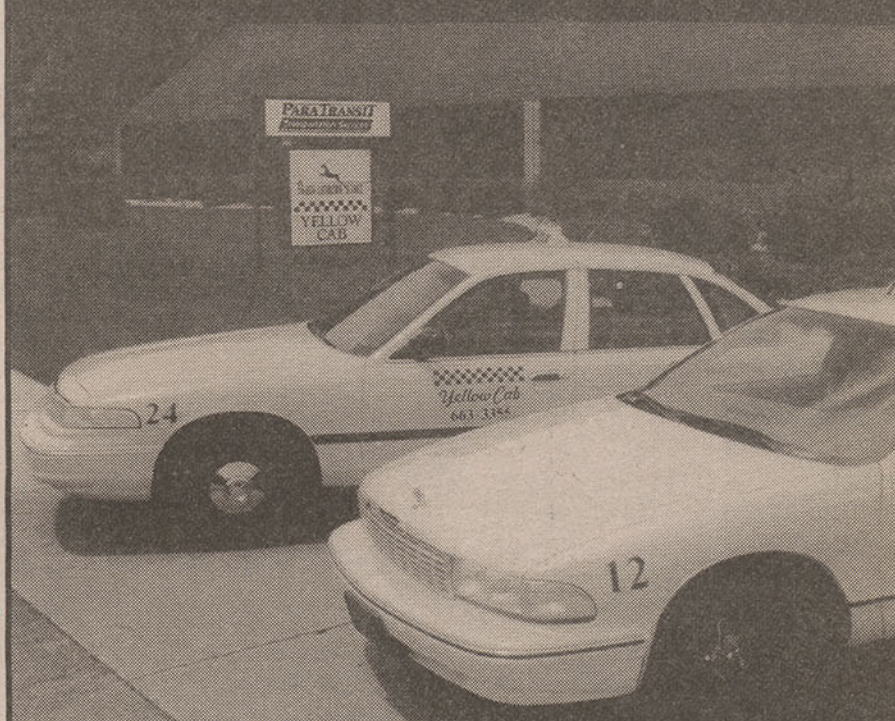
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## PARKING & TRANSPORTATION

city's Bicycle Program at 971-5471 for bike locker rental information.

The city's Bicycle Master Plan, adopted in 1992, outlines goals to further enhance bicycle travel and safety through low-cost construction and maintenance of bicycle facilities, safety education programs, and improved enforcement of current bicycle laws. The Bicycle Program is currently working with the DDA to organize and install parking spaces for bikes. Contact assistant city bicycle coordinator Annette Dentel (971-5471) with questions or for more information.

**Bicycle registration** is required in Ann Arbor. The lifetime fee is \$2.50, and you can register at the city clerk's office (City Hall) or at bicycle shops around town. Report stolen bicycles to the Ann Arbor Police Department (994-2875). Bicyclists must give pedestrians the right-of-way and follow the same laws as motorized vehicles when riding on the street, including coming to complete stops at all stop signs and using a headlight after dark. The Department of Parks and Recreation's Bicycle Program (971-5471) offers bicycle safety courses, effective cycling classes, and maintenance clinics. Call for more information.

The **Student Bike Shop** at 607 S. Forest (662-6986) offers bike rentals for time periods from two hours to one month. A cash deposit is required. **Great Lakes Cycling & Fitness Adventure** at 564 S. Main (668-6484) provides hourly to weekly rentals. Bike rental is also available at **Gallup Park** (662-9319).

### BUSES

**Ann Arbor Bus Depot**, 116 W. Huron. 662-5511. Mon.-Sat. 7:45 a.m.-6:30 p.m. Closed Sun. and holidays (buses do operate on those days, but tickets must be purchased in advance). Greyhound Bus Lines operates out of this terminal, providing service throughout Michigan and the United States. Call for a schedule of arrivals and departures. The bus depot accepts all major credit cards, but not personal checks. (One-way and round-trip fares to Detroit are \$8 and \$16; Chicago fares are \$20 and \$39.)

**Ann Arbor Transportation Authority (AATA)**, Blake Transit Center, 331 S. Fourth Ave. 996-0400. Mon.-Fri. 7:30 a.m.-9:30 p.m., Sat. noon-6:15 p.m. (opens at 8 a.m. during the winter). AATA Headquarters, 2700 South Industrial Hwy. (See AATA map, p. 30; call 973-6500). Mon.-Fri. 8 a.m.-5 p.m. The city's primary means of public transit, AATA buses run along 18 Ann Arbor routes, 9 routes within Ypsilanti, several shuttles, and 4 routes between the two cities, carrying over four million passengers a year. An AATA local route is within a quarter mile of 93 percent of all Ann Arbor residents. The fare is 75¢ (dollar bills are accepted, but no change is given), and transfers, good for 45 minutes, are free (request transfers when boarding). Children under five ride free. A bag of ten tokens costs \$6.50 and an unlimited-ride monthly pass costs \$25. Students (grades K-12) can ride for 35¢. Tokens and passes are available at the Blake Transit Center, AATA headquarters, and at some area businesses and banks. **Half-fare I.D. cards** are available to handicapped persons, seniors ages 60-64, and low-income persons. Seniors age 65 or older can ride free with a **Good As Gold AATA I.D. card**. Service hours for most routes are Mon.-Fri. 6:45 a.m.-10:15 p.m., Sat. & Sun. 8 a.m.-6:15 p.m. There is no bus service on major holidays. For information on routes, schedules, and discount fares, call 996-0400 (24 hours). Web site: [www.theride.org](http://www.theride.org)

U-M faculty and staff can ride for free if they choose the **UM/AATA** pass instead of a parking permit. Park free and ride from any

designated **Park and Ride Lot**: Green Road near Baxter, Pioneer High School, Maple Village shopping center, and the State Street lot across from Howard Cooper. U-M faculty, staff, and students can park and ride free by showing their U-M I.D.

**Chelsea-Dexter-Ann Arbor Express (AATA)**. 996-0400. Small buses run between Chelsea, Dexter, and Ann Arbor. The fare is \$1.75 between Ann Arbor and Chelsea and \$1 for all other trips. Transfers to AATA local routes are free. AATA half-fare cards are honored. Mon.-Fri. 6:50 a.m.-7 p.m. hourly, Sat. 8:45 a.m.-5:20 p.m. (two inbound and two outbound trips). On Saturdays the route ends at the Dexter Library and does not continue on to Chelsea. No Sunday service.

**Football Ride (AATA)**. 996-0400. The AATA provides service between area hotels and Michigan Stadium on home football Saturdays. Call for more information. **Some AATA routes are detoured on football Saturdays**: routes 4, 6, 7, 8, 13, 14, & 15.

**Art Fair Shuttle (AATA)**. 973-6500. Shuttles operate from Briarwood and Pioneer High School during the Ann Arbor Art Fairs. The fare is \$1 each way. A trolley operates between the fairs. Wed.-Fri. 8 a.m.-10 p.m., Sat. 8 a.m.-7 p.m.

**University of Michigan Bus System**. 764-3427. All route service is free for faculty, staff, and students—no pass is required to ride. The **main bus stop** for all routes is on Central Campus, at the large curb cuts on either side of Geddes Avenue, next to the Exhibit Museum. The new **Commuter** route runs at ten-minute intervals, serving all commuter parking. Starting at the Crisler Arena parking lot, the route travels north through the Athletic Campus, and on to Central Campus, the Medical Center, and the Engineering Complex on North Campus. Southbound, the route starts from the Glazier Way commuter lot, passing most of the same stops. Hours of service on this route are Mon.-Fri. 6:40 a.m.-7 p.m. Commuter route buses do not operate during holiday periods. **Bursley-Baits buses** run September through April and connect the Bursley and Baits dormitories with the Medical Center and the main bus stop on Central Campus. **Northwood buses** connect the U-M's family housing with the Medical Center and the main bus stop on Central Campus while also providing service to various North Campus lots. Both the Bursley-Baits route and the Northwood route run at ten-minute intervals 7 a.m.-7 p.m., and 20-minute intervals 7 p.m.-12:40 a.m. The **North Campus route** is a combination of the Bursley-Baits and Northwood routes and provides evening, weekend, and holiday service to North Campus. On weekdays, this route begins at 12:40 a.m. and runs until 2:20 a.m. During weekends and holiday periods, service is provided generally at 20-minute intervals. a.m.-2 a.m. (Fri. & Sat. till 3 a.m.). During university holiday periods, except Christmas recess, the North Campus weekend schedule is in effect. For Christmas recess service information, as well as May-August schedules, call U-M Transportation Services at 764-3427. Route schedules are available on all buses and at most campus information centers.

### LIMOUSINES

Four limousine companies are located in Ann Arbor: **Acme Sedan** (665-8283), **Arbor Limousine Service** (663-5959), **Executive Limousine** (971-9240), and **Golden Limousine** (668-8282). Vans, town cars, and stretch limos are available at an average cost of \$40-\$75/hour. Flat rates are available for service to Metro Airport. Limo services suggest looking at the car before renting since quality varies in this unregulated industry.

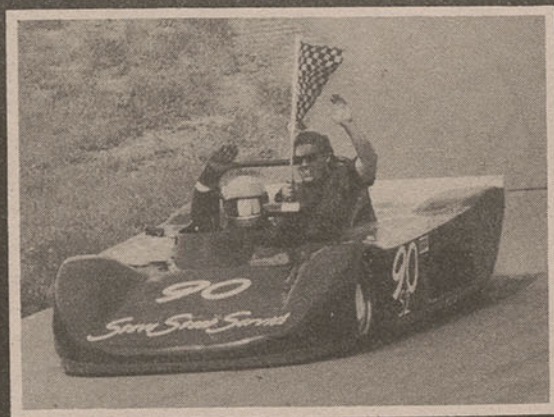
For other private transportation services see the Yellow Pages.

### TAXIS

Four local taxi companies, **Ann Arbor Taxi Service** (741-9000), **Blue Cab** (213-2222), **Veterans Cab** (485-7797), and **Yellow Cab** (663-3355) offer 24-hour service to Metro Air

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#### TRAIN SERVICE

**Amtrak**, 325 Depot. 994-4906 (depot), (800) 872-7245 (tickets and reservations). Three trains depart daily in each direction. Eastbound trains travel to Detroit, Birmingham, and Pontiac. Rail service to Jackson, Kalamazoo, and Chicago connects to points west (the Chicago trains currently leave at 7:55 & 11:10 a.m. and 6:20 p.m.). Smoking is prohibited on all trains. Reservations are now required on all trains coming through Ann Arbor. Buses to Toledo depart at 8:10 & 9:10 p.m. for the overnight train east. Amtrak accepts all major credit cards and personal checks with a major credit card and driver's license. Metered and long-term parking is available at the adjacent Amtrak lot. Depot hours: daily 7 a.m.-11 p.m.

### SPECIAL SERVICES

#### LATE-NIGHT TRANSPORTATION

**Emergency Escort Service (U-M)**. 763-1131. Provides rides, in emergency situations only (e.g., transport to the hospital), between 2 a.m. and 7 a.m. daily for university students, faculty, and staff. There is no charge. In critical, life-threatening situations, dial 911 for an ambulance.

**Medical Campus Night Ride Home (U-M)**. 936-7890 (hospital security). Faculty, staff, and students on the Medical Campus can call and request a free cab ride home, or to the Glazier Way or Fuller/Mitchell commuter lots, between 2 a.m. and 6 a.m. daily. Users of this service must show U-M Medical Center I.D.

**Night Ride (AATA)**. 663-3888. This is a shared-ride program that uses either a lift-equipped van or cabs. Service is available within the city limits only. Response time is anywhere from 5 to 45 minutes (20 minutes average), and it is a good idea to allow about an hour for travel time. Fare is \$2/person, regardless of destination. Reservations (all trips must be requested by phone) may be made anytime during the day for service that evening. Mon.-Fri. 11 p.m.-6 a.m., Sat. & Sun. 7 p.m.-6 a.m.

**Nite Owl (U-M)**. 763-6453. Fourteen-passenger buses with "Nite Owl" marquee provide this service for U-M students, faculty, and staff. The service has two routes. The north route serves the Medical Campus and the Hill Street area residence halls. The south route serves Oxford Housing, Central Campus residence halls, and the Athletic Campus. The transfer point is the back of the undergraduate Shapiro Library on South University. Buses run every 30 minutes and are equipped for disabled passengers. Daily (except holidays) 7 p.m.-2 a.m. September through April, when school is officially in session.

**Safewalk (U-M)**. 936-1000. The U-M's nighttime safety walking service provides two-person teams (either a male-female or two-women team) to accompany people walking within a 20-minute radius of Central Campus. Safewalk is located in the first-floor lobby of the Shapiro Library. People can call or stop by for service. Fall & winter hours: Sun.-Thurs. 8 p.m.-2:30 a.m., Fri. & Sat. 8-11:30 p.m.; spring & summer hours: Sun.-Thurs. 9-11:30 p.m. On North Campus, **Northwalk (763-WALK)** provides a safety walking service to people within a 20-minute radius of Bursley Hall, except for the Northwood family housing area. Hours (Sept.-Apr. only): Sun.-Thurs. 8 p.m.-1:30 a.m., Fri. & Sat. 8-11:30 p.m.

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**Ride Board (U-M)**. Located in the basement of the Michigan Union. People seeking or offering long-distance rides can sign up, in person only, to find other drivers and riders.

**Ridesharing (AATA)**. 973-6500. A free service to help commuters who work in Washtenaw County get into van pools and car pools. AATA's TransPlan offers planning assistance to employers and their commuting employees who are looking for alternative methods of travel to and from work.

#### SERVICES FOR THE HANDICAPPED, DISABLED, OR SENIORS

**Ann Arbor Transportation Authority (AATA)**. 973-6500. Nearly all AATA buses are equipped with a wheelchair lift or ramp and can accommodate one wheelchair user. Users are welcome to call a day in advance to ensure that an accessible bus will be operating on the needed route at the needed time.

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**County Transportation Systems Management**, 487-8564. Facilitates provisions for transportation for handicapped, disabled, and low-income persons, as well as seniors. Transportation to work, hospitals, and any other destination within Washtenaw County can be arranged. Fees, if required, depend on destination. Transportation hours are flexible, but must be arranged during regular office hours, Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.

**Good As Gold Card (AATA)**. 973-6500. The Good As Gold I.D. card is available from the AATA to persons age 65 and older. Cardholders can ride AATA buses for free and use the Good As Gold shared-ride cab service contracted through Yellow Cab. Fare is \$1.50 anywhere within the city limits. There is a 50¢ charge for each additional passenger and the number of passengers per car is limited to three. Daily 6 a.m.-11 p.m. Persons ages 60-64 can ride AATA buses for 35¢ with an AATA **Fare Deal I.D. Card**. Both cards are available at Blake Transit Center on Fourth Avenue between William and Liberty Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m., Sat. noon-5:30 p.m., or at AATA headquarters, 2700 South Industrial, Mon.-Fri. 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

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**Neighborhood Senior Services**, Senior Health Building, 5361 McAuley (P.O. Box 995, AA 48106). 712-3697. This advocacy organization provides transportation and accompaniment for seniors to/from the doctor, bank, or grocery. Hours are flexible, but travel must be arranged Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Cost-sharing contributions are encouraged, but no fees are charged.

**Senior Ride (AATA)**. 996-0400. Provides group trips for seniors living in senior housing complexes to grocery stores and local events. Call 973-6500 for more information.

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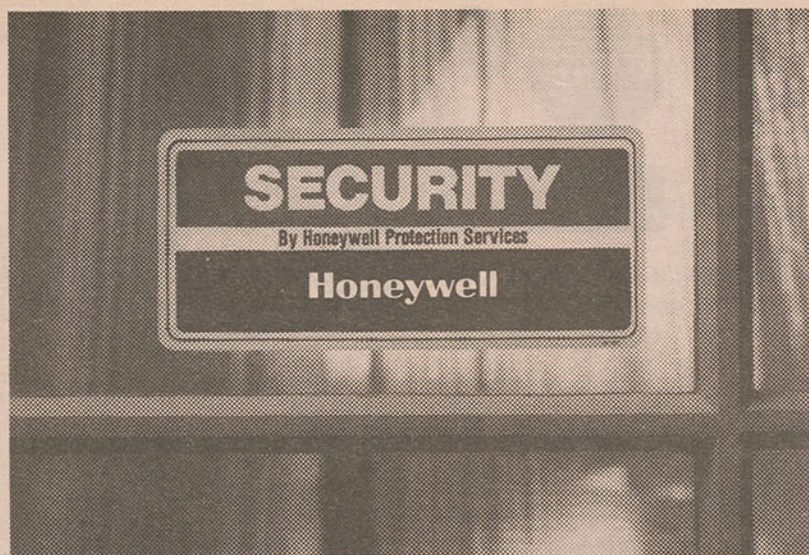
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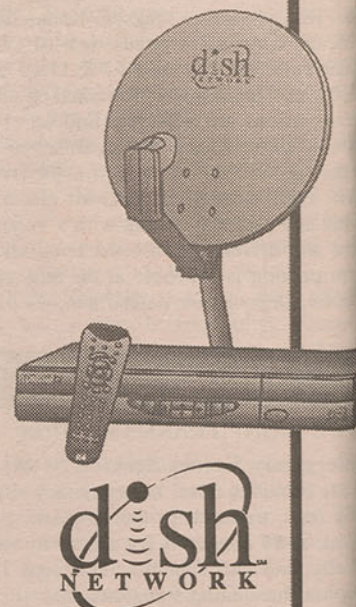
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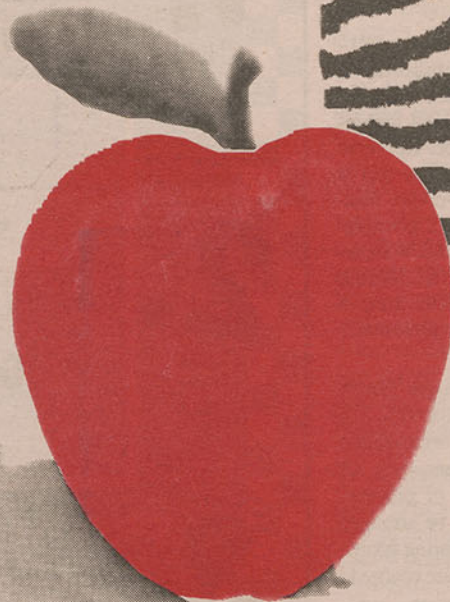
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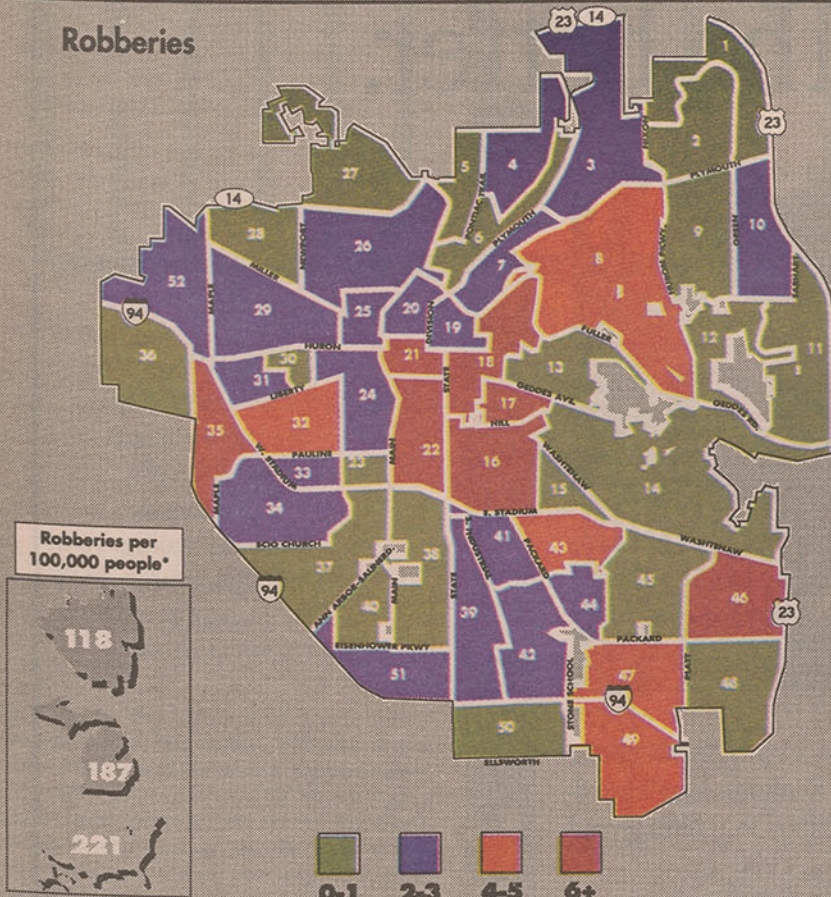
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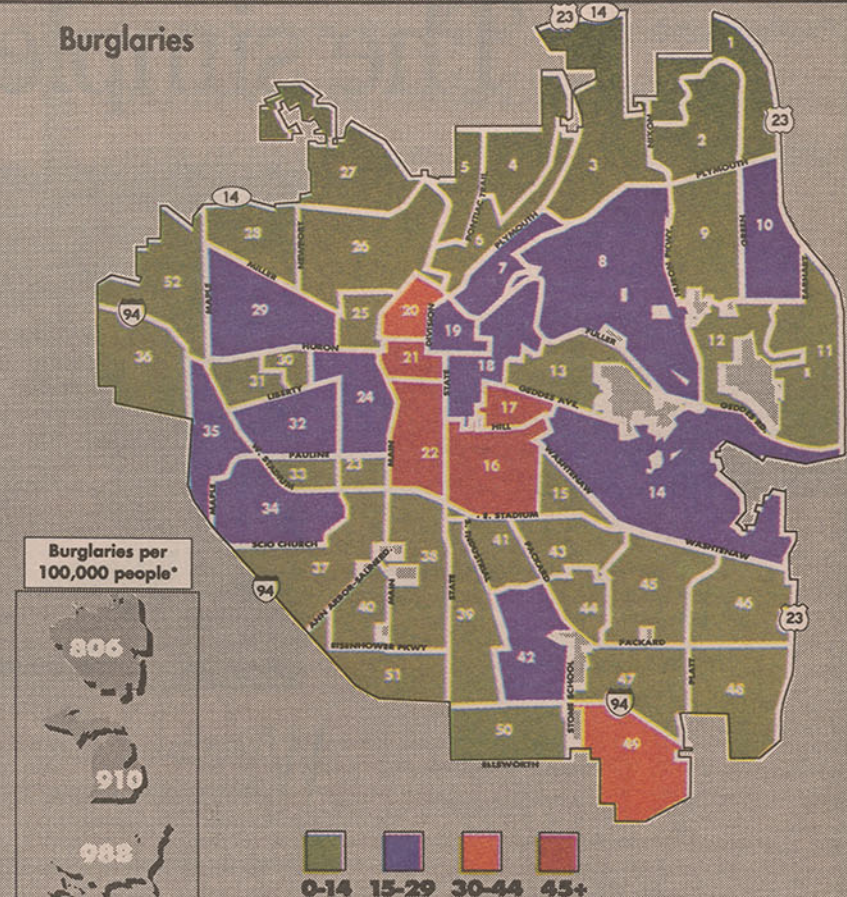
# CRIME MAP

JUNE 1996-MAY 1997

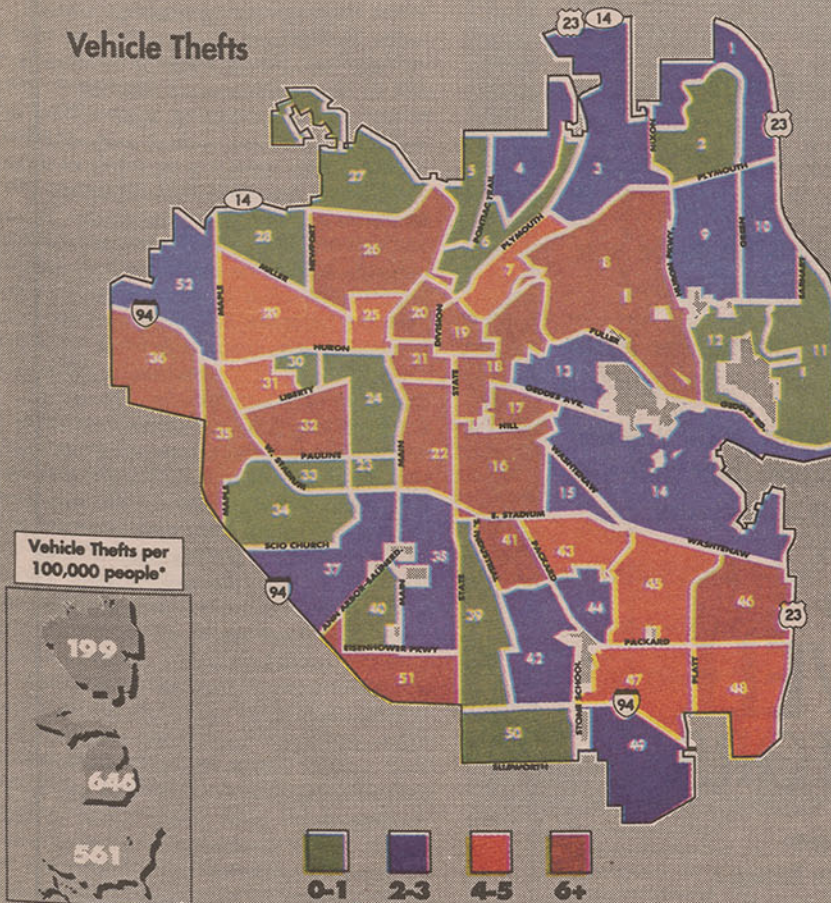
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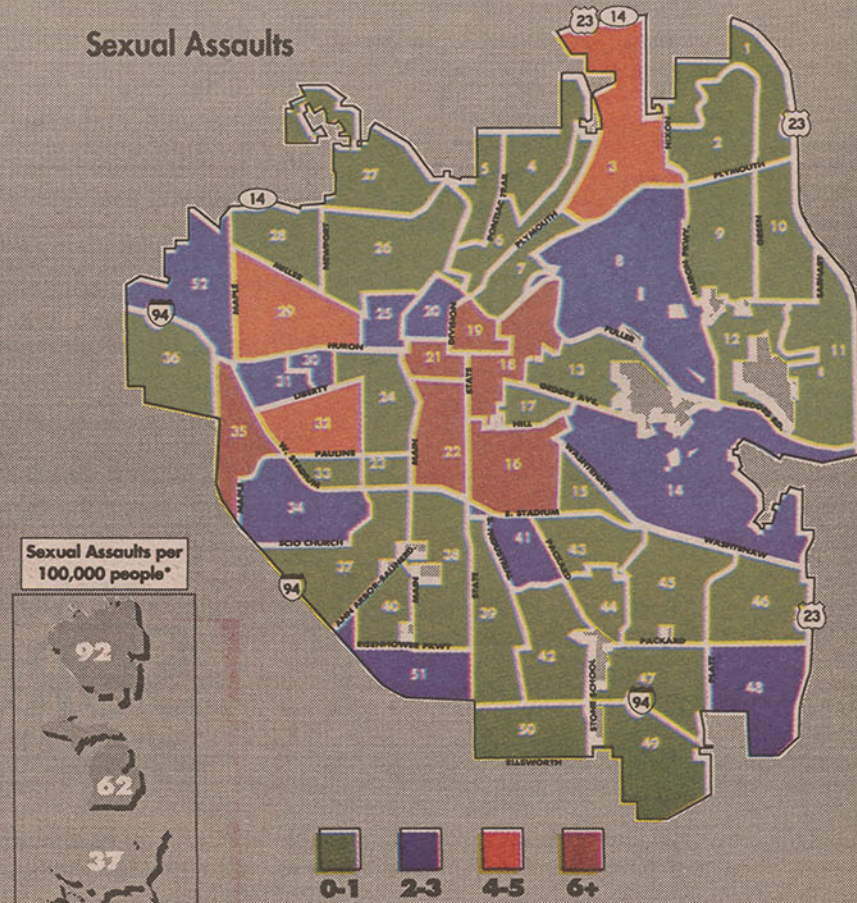
## Burglaries



## Vehicle Thefts



## Sexual Assaults



This map compiles data from monthly Ann Arbor Observer crime maps between June 1996 and May 1997. Unlike the monthly map, these maps do not indicate the locations of individual crimes. Instead, colors denote ranges of crime totals for the year for each of the city's 52 neighborhoods. See key below each map for ranges. Totals include attempts.

The densely packed student neighborhoods near the U-M campus routinely record the highest overall crime totals in the city. But as the maps show, not all criminal activity is centered there; the Central/Medical Campus area led the city with 17 reported vehicle thefts over the past twelve months, but the Briarwood mall area was close behind with 14.

\*Comparison with state and national rates uses statistics from 1995, the most recent year available.



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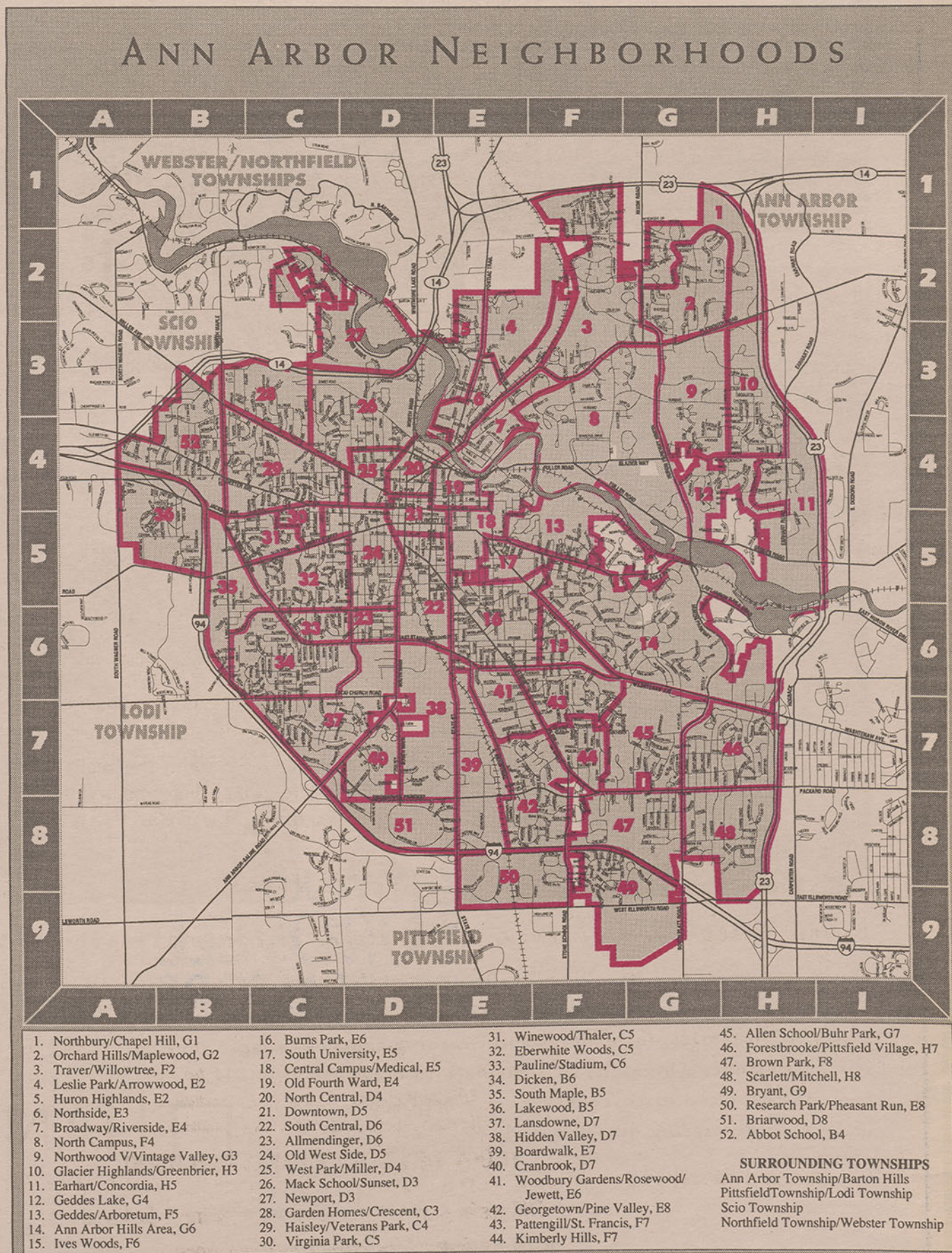
Try to define the essence of Ann Arbor by talking to the residents, and you'll get many answers. One loves the compact neighborhoods of the Old West Side, where home owners still sit on the porch and chat with families out for a walk. Another finds the cultural riches of the U-M irresistible. Still another says it's the international flavor of her neighborhood that she loves.

There's no denying that our town offers a little bit of everything and probably has a neighborhood to make anyone feel comfortable. That's not the question. How to find the perfect niche to settle into and how to afford it—now there's the challenge. What began in 1824 as a square mile of wilderness owned by John Allen and Elisha Rumsey is now twenty-five square miles of rapidly developing metropolis. The city limits have nearly reached residential capacity, with few open areas or even undeveloped lots still available. The smallest patches are being developed into creatively planned condominium pockets.

So the city did what might be expected: it burst its boundaries. The growth in the neighboring townships has been phenomenal. Pittsfield Township to the south has seen over 400 building permits granted in one calendar year. Ann Arbor Township to the north is experiencing more gradual, but similar growth. Scio and Lodi to the west are aggressively trying to control their growth in order to retain their rural flavor, but they may be losing the battle.

New options for housing outside the city are a mixed blessing. They allow central city residents the chance for a little more space when they are ready, freeing up a few older homes for first-time or retiring buyers. At the same time, those state-of-the-art, Jacuzzi'd, media-centered homes on the outskirts are flattening the value of the previous generation of homes. While starter home prices in the city are rising rapidly, pricing on more expensive homes shows a more gradual increase. One house that sold in 1977 for \$28,500 was listed again this year for \$124,000, more than quadrupling in value. A larger home selling for \$79,000 in 1977 can now be had for around \$200,000—an increase of just more than double.

Housing values have begun to level in the past year, but the upward trend is still quite strong, producing a 31 percent increase since 1990 in the average price of an Ann Arbor home sold, with two-thirds of that coming since 1993. As of July 11, 1997, the average selling price was



\$165,085, with slightly over half as many homes available this year as in 1993. The least expensive home sold in Ann Arbor in 1997 went for \$55,000 and the highest went for \$799,000.

Neighborhood numbers are keyed to

the map on this page. Price information (current as of late July 1997) was provided by Gail Sinelli of the Michigan Group, Tracy Koe of the Charles Reinhart Company, and Dawn Foerg of the Edward Surovell Company. All prices quoted represent an approxi-

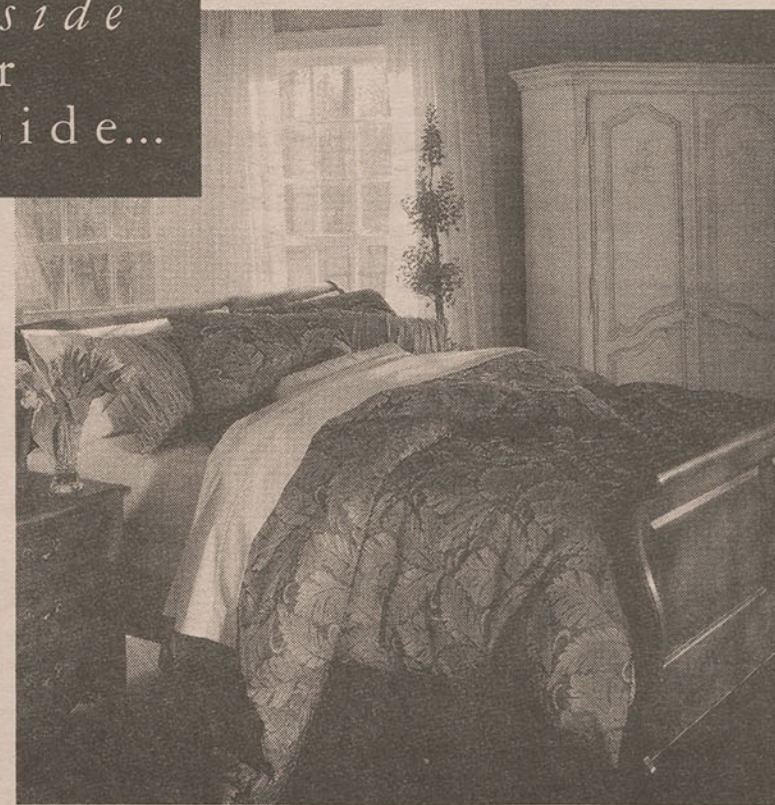
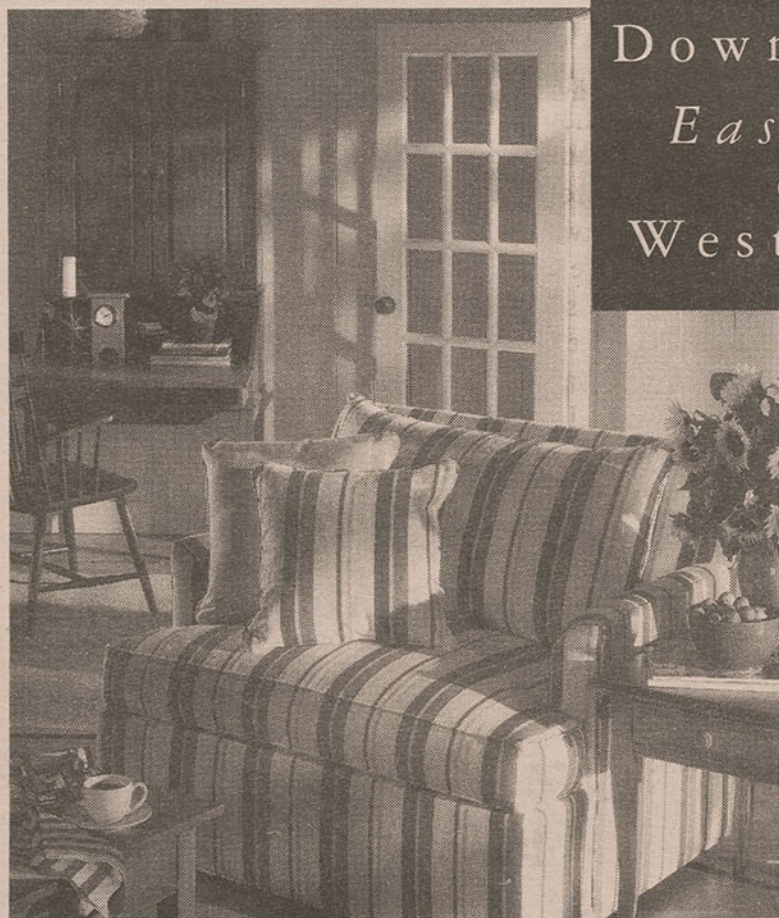
mate range. For a summary of all 1996 home sales in graphic form, see the map on p. 46.

For neighborhoods outside the city limits but with Ann Arbor addresses, see The Suburbs, below. For a detailed street map





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of both the city and nearby residential areas, see pp. 14 & 15. For listings and maps of major apartment and condominium complexes, see p. 65 (apartments) and p. 73 (condominiums).

## CITY NEIGHBORHOODS

### 1 & 2: NORTHBURY/CHAPEL HILL & ORCHARD HILLS/MAPLEWOOD

Before sewers were extended out Plymouth Road during construction of the U-M's North Campus in the 1950s, much of this area northeast of the Plymouth and Nixon intersection was the Bolgos family's farm and dairy. Today it's a well-manicured mixture of subdivisions, condominiums, and apartment complexes. Plymouth Road itself is lined with offices, shopping centers, and research facilities.

The Northbury condominiums lie east of Nixon Road just north of Clague Middle School and Logan Elementary. There are many children in the complex (their parents are often business professionals and U-M faculty and staff), as well as retired people. To the north lies the huge Windemere Park luxury apartment complex.

The Chapel Hill area east of Green Road is a diverse community of townhouse condominiums and single-family homes. With its neat lawns, Chapel Hill prides itself on its upkeep. The turnover rate for residents is fairly high, reflecting the large percentage of U-M students, staff, and foreign visitors. About half of Chapel Hill residents are seniors. The playground and open areas of adjacent Sugarbush Park are popular with Chapel Hill families,

typically professional working couples.

The Orchard Hills, Maplewood, and Bromley single-family subdivisions make up the Orchard Hills/Maplewood neighborhood. Bromley's houses are slightly smaller, Maplewood's somewhat newer.

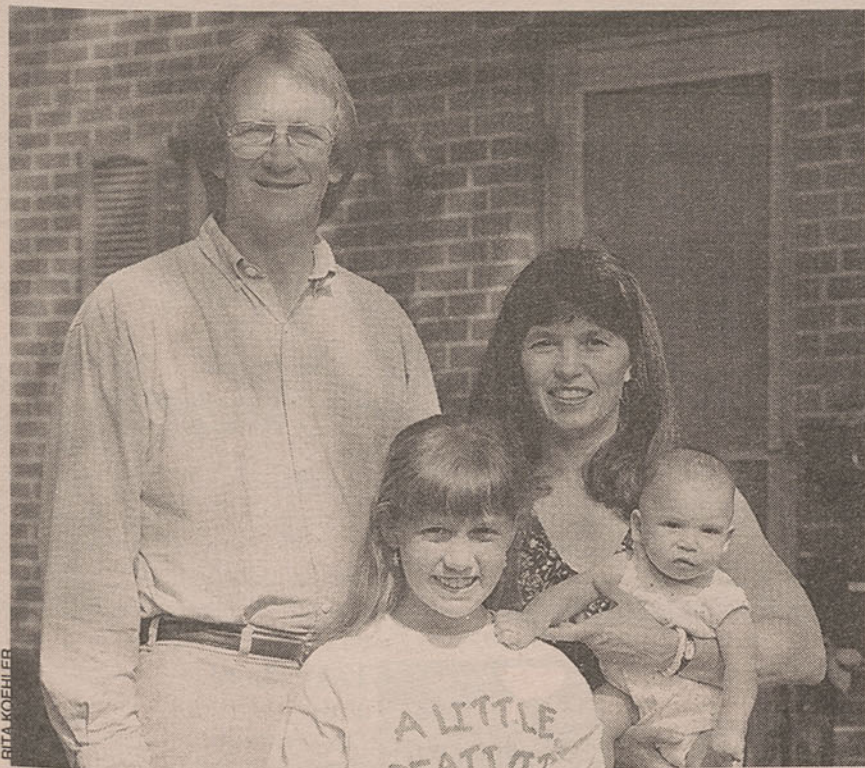
Orchard Hills/Maplewood is fairly stable, with many younger families with children at home and an extremely high home ownership rate. The family orientation makes for a very social atmosphere, with numerous block parties, cookouts, and even parades. The Orchard Hills Athletic Club on Yorktown has a pool that is a social hub for area members. The family atmosphere continues in the Bromley subdivision, which also has its own swim club, Dolphins Pool. Its 231 homes are built around Bromley Park and are adjacent to the Thurston School Nature Center. It also boasts an extremely active home owners' association.

Prices for houses in the three subdivisions range from \$155,000 to \$200,000 and up. Both neighborhoods are located in Ann Arbor's Second Ward. Children attend Logan and Thurston elementary. Clague is the middle school, and the high school is Huron.

### 3: TRAVER/WILLOWTREE

The Traver/Willowtree area is dominated by apartments, including Willowtree, Willowtree Tower, and Parc Pointe on Plymouth Road; Parkway Meadows (which includes both senior and low-income buildings) near Nixon; and Traver Ridge, off Traver Road. The terrain is hilly, and many of the complexes abut a stream now mostly funneled into underground pipes. The Traver Lakes development includes single-family homes and some condos. Traver

## My Neighborhood



Ryan and Julie Dybdahl, with their daughters Jamie and Kathryn.

"There's a lot of history in the homes and surrounding buildings," says Ryan Dybdahl, who with his wife, Julie, has lived in the Broadway/Riverside area for fifteen years. "Our neighborhood is a lot like the Old West Side, just not as expensive."

Some homes in the area date back to the 1840s. The Dybdahls' home was built in the 1920s on the site of the Broadway Kroger, and later moved up the hill to its current location.

There's a wide variety of housing in the neighborhood, which is set in the hills just north of the Huron River. "We are surrounded by the river on three sides, so we take a lot of nice walks along [it]," says Ryan. "We are within two blocks of five different parks, and minutes from downtown. You can't get much more centrally located than that."

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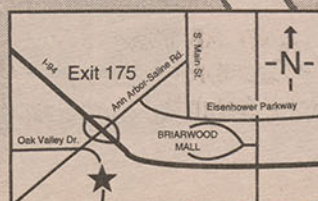
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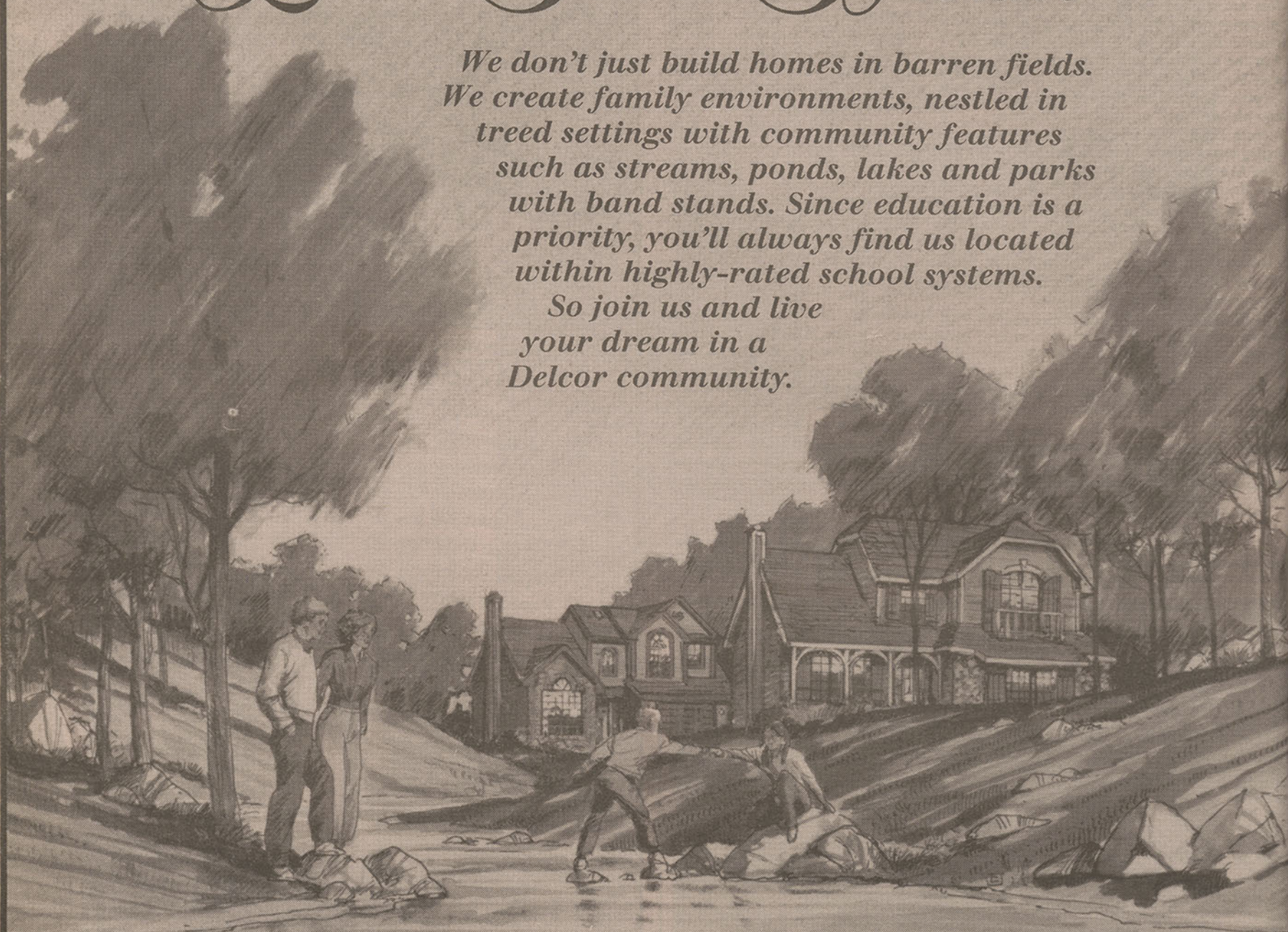




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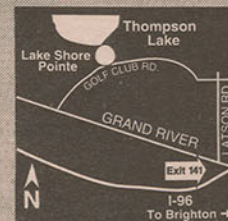
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Vistas, north of Placid Way, is made up of single-family homes. North of Dhu Varren Road, the Foxfire development is approaching its planned total of 361 homes.

The neighborhood has many open areas and ponds throughout. Residents frequently walk or jog through what is still a peaceful area, and many seem pleased with the convenience of Traver Village shopping center on Plymouth Road. Traver Ridge, Traver Lakes, and Traver Vistas dwellers all belong to an association that shares the clubhouse, pool, and tennis courts at the Traver Lakes condos.

Single-family colonials in Traver Lakes and Traver Vistas cost from \$165,000 to \$225,000. Recently built homes in Foxfire have cost \$195,000-\$250,000. Traver/Willowtree is located in the First Ward. Schools are Logan and Northside elementaries, Clague Middle School, and Huron High.

#### 4: LESLIE PARK/ARROWWOOD

The Leslie Park/Arrowwood neighborhood lies between Pontiac Trail to the west and Leslie Park and the Leslie Park Golf Course to the east.

For many years, the area's chief housing source has been the 350-unit Arrowwood Hills Cooperative, a low-income townhouse complex built in the late 1960s. Now, as the city extends its water and sewer lines into the northern part of this neighborhood, along Dhu Varren Road, it's gaining new developments like the thirty-five-home Orchard Place subdivision off Pontiac Trail, and Dhu Varren on the Park, off Dhu Varren east of Pontiac Trail, where homes sell for around \$250,000.

With a wide racial and ethnic mix, Arrow-

wood has a diverse but cohesive atmosphere; members participate in many shared programs and have cooperative garden plots. Cash-poor U-M graduate students often join the co-op's long waiting list. Arrowwood children are bused to King, Logan, or Thurston elementary schools; all others attend Northside Elementary. Clague is the middle school, and the high school is Huron. This neighborhood is located in the First Ward.

#### 5: HURON HIGHLANDS

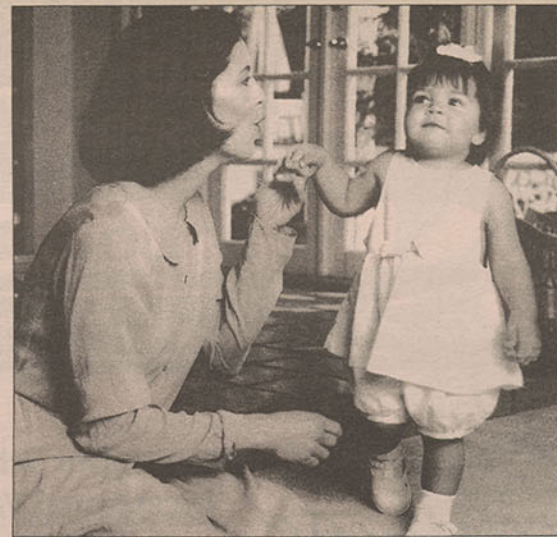
Huron Highlands is located on a high ridge between US-23/M-14 and Pontiac Trail, overlooking the Huron River valley and the downtown skyline.

Single-family ranches built in the late 1960s are priced at \$105,000 and up; despite their nearly identical appearance, their well-treed, quiet setting keeps them in great demand among first-time home buyers. Dotted throughout this neighborhood, there are also a few more substantial contemporary homes, which sell for as much as \$245,000. There are few renters, and families predominate.

Despite its proximity to the downtown area, Huron Highlands is a quiet, stable neighborhood. Residents tend to be either professional younger families or retired people who greatly value their seclusion. Children attend Northside Elementary, Clague Middle School, and Huron High. Huron Highlands, like Leslie Park/Arrowwood on the other side of Pontiac Trail, is located in the city's First Ward.

#### 6: NORTHSIDE

This area immediately north of the Huron River flourished in the 1830s but soon became a quiet



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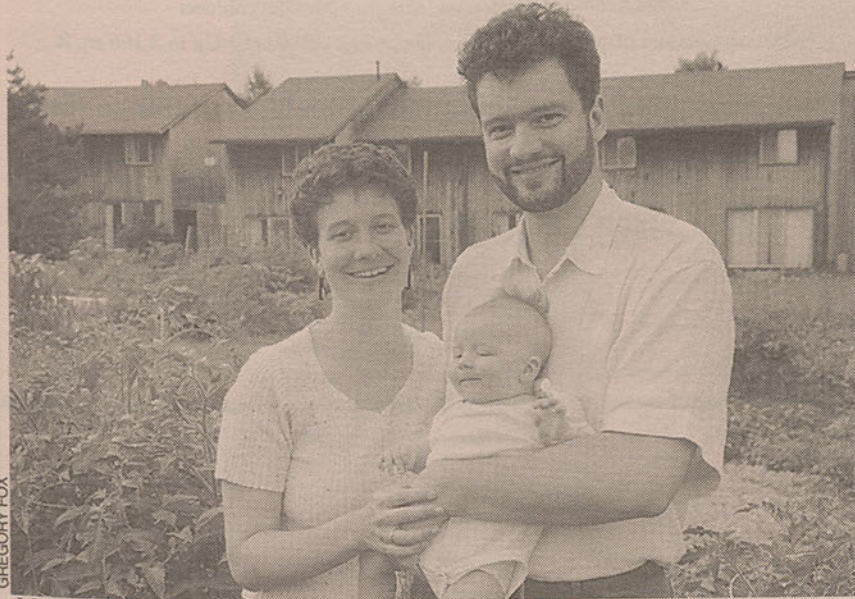


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### My Neighborhood



Mary Craig, Markus Vodosek, and their son Simon.

Mary Craig and her husband, Markus Vodosek, have enjoyed the international flavor of the U-M's Northwood family housing for two years. Their son Simon was born last May.

"This is a really fun neighborhood," says Craig. "It's a great place for gardening. It's easy to talk to people about gardening, kids, what they're studying, how long they've been here, what country they're from. There's lots of common ground and uncommon ground."

Craig is an arts coordinator at the U-M. Vodosek, an Austrian citizen who grew up in Germany, is a Ph.D. candidate in organizational behavior in the business school. They say they're planning to raise their son bilingually, and many other parents who live near them are doing the same.

"We've got Russians on one side, a U.S. family on the other, an Israeli couple across the way, a Japanese family kitty-corner," Craig says. "And I like the atmosphere—the flowering trees, the natural wood of the buildings. Some people are ace gardeners and some have no idea what they're doing, but we all try to plant something!"

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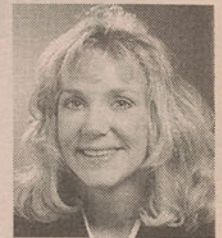
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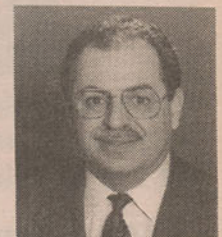
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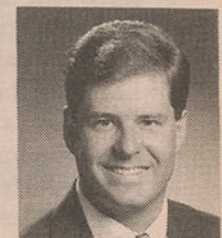
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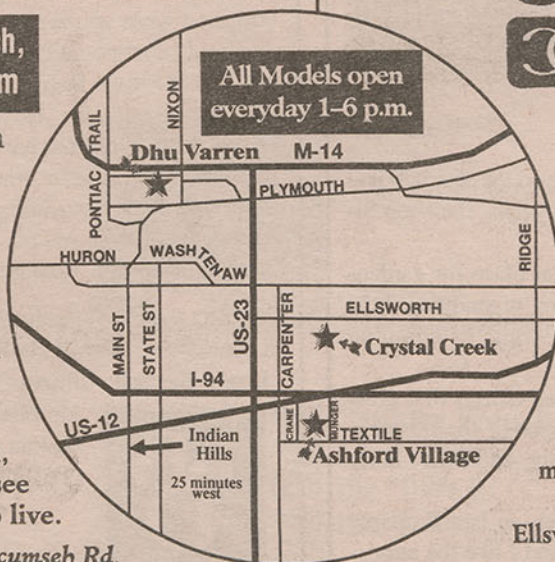
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backwater as the growth of the U-M focused development south of the river. Today, apartments and small, moderately priced (\$95,000 and up) ranches share the neighborhood with some of the city's oldest surviving houses.

Many of the older houses are now rented, and there are also newer apartments, including the Shoreview complex on Kellogg and the Crossings of Michigan townhouses on Longshore Drive. There is a moderate student presence in this pleasantly diverse area. One of the few stably integrated neighborhoods in Ann Arbor, Northside is located completely within Ward One. Schools are Northside Elementary, Clague Middle School, and Huron High.

## 7: BROADWAY/RIVERSIDE

This neighborhood just north of the Huron River adjacent to Northside includes the spot where several Indian trails once met at a ford on the Huron River. That same clustering effect is visible today where Broadway, Plymouth Road, Maiden Lane, Wall and Moore streets, Swift Street, and Pontiac Trail all converge near the Broadway bridge. Known as Lower Town in Ann Arbor's early days, the neighborhood contains the city's oldest commercial structure, the 1832 Anson Brown Building at Swift and Broadway, home of the St. Vincent de Paul thrift store.

Broadway Hill distinctly separates the Broadway and Riverside areas. Located north of the crest, the Broadway area combines rental housing with older single-family houses on large, well-kept lots on and near Cedar Bend Drive, a lovely thoroughfare which offers spectacular views of the Huron River valley. Many older homes have been rehabilitated, and the area has become more popular with

families who have young children. Single-family homes vary from small ranches that start at about \$100,000 to large, stately homes in the Cedar Bend area that have sold for as much as \$400,000.

Apartments and condos line the valley to the south. Young professionals and U-M graduate and medical students, plus a small concentration of retirees, predominate in the Riverside complexes, which include the Island Drive and Medical Center Court apartments off Maiden Lane. Riverside, with its transient population, has much less community activism than the Broadway area.

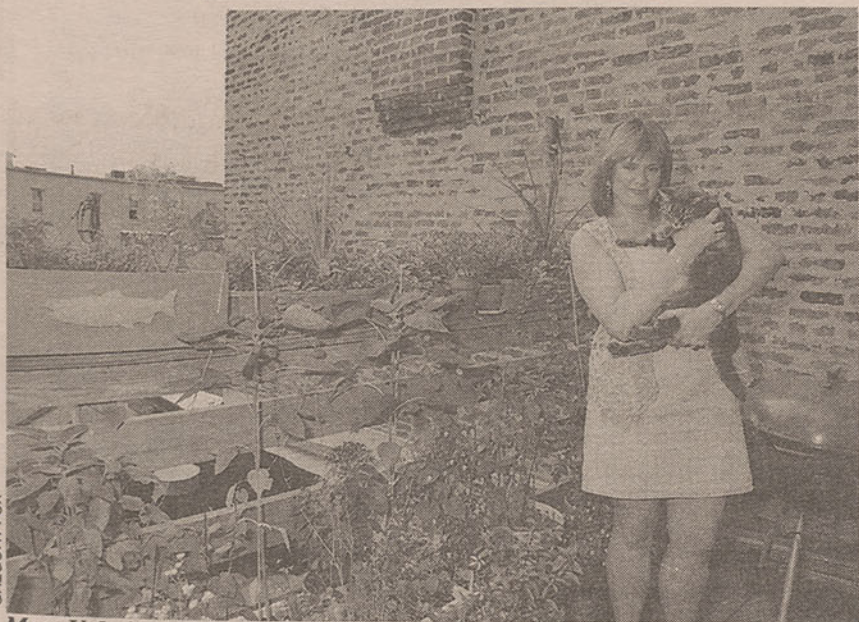
The high-rise Riverside Park Place condominiums are located at 1050 Wall Street along Riverside Park—the 1875 site of the Alber & Co. Blacksmith and Wagon Shop. The Riverside house condos face Island Park a little downriver. Broadway/Riverside residents vote in the First Ward. Schools are Northside Elementary, Clague Middle School, and Huron High.

## 8: NORTH CAMPUS

The area south of Plymouth Road and west of Huron Parkway is dominated by the U-M's North Campus, a mixture of classroom and research buildings, residence halls, and apartments and townhouses for married students.

The Huron River Plaza apartments and high-rise Huron Towers on Fuller Road augment the U-M's Baits and Bursley dorms and U-M married housing on Cram Circle and McIntyre to create a densely settled neighborhood dominated by students. Almost all of the residents in the North Campus neighborhood are renters. However, the presence of four of the U-M's Northwest family housing complexes gives this a very different flavor than the older student areas near campus.

## My Neighborhood



Mary Valerie.

Since 1989, Mary Valerie has lived just four blocks from her work. Valerie owns Body Works Fitness and Massage Therapy Center on First Street and lives above Peaceable Kingdom on Main Street, in a third-story loft in a century-old brick building.

"The streets can be really busy, but I can come up here, go in my roof garden and not even know I'm downtown," she says. "I think the reason I moved downtown is the lyric in the song 'Up on the Roof.' The lyric is: 'Right smack-dab in the middle of town, I found a paradise that's trouble-proof.'"

Valerie's roof garden offers panoramic vistas and a chance to mingle with urban wildlife. "I have beautiful sunsets. My view is the Earle Building and the west side of town. And we're mosquito-free because we have six colonies of bats. They live in chimneys and come out about dusk. I grow a whole garden out there: flowers, vegetables, herbs.

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—Whitley Hill

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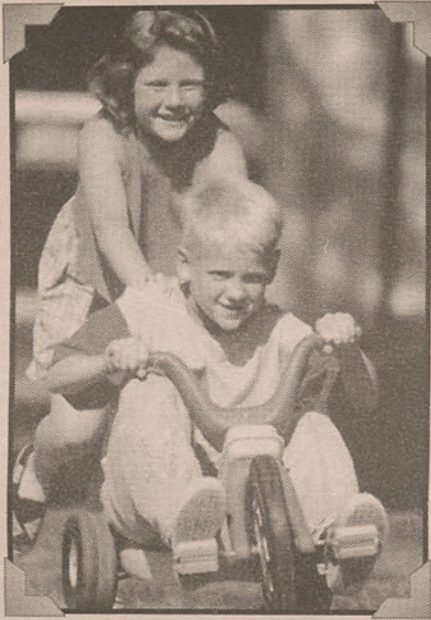
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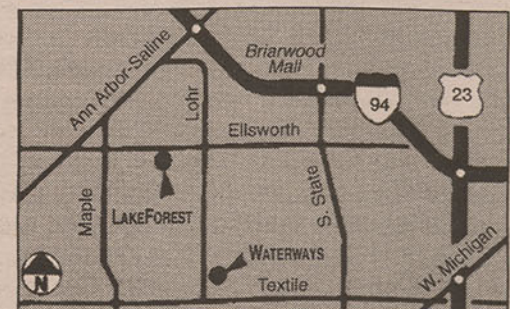


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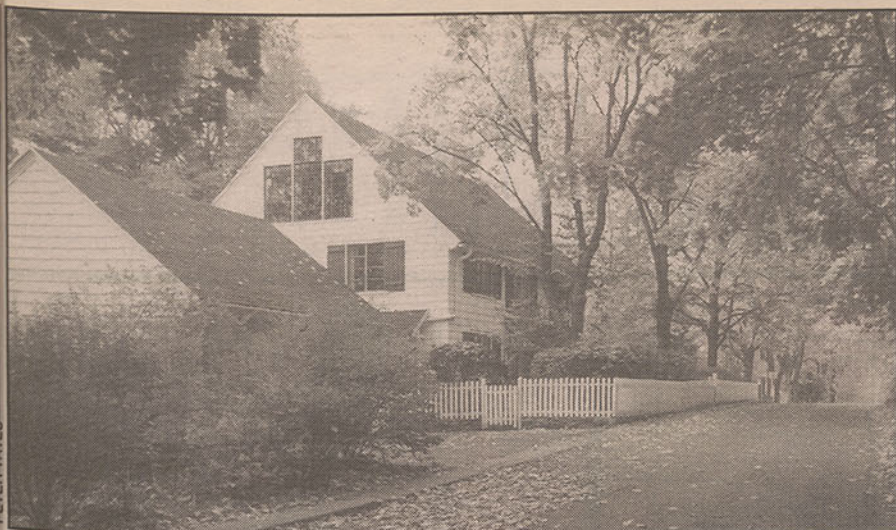


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Ferdon Road in the Burns Park neighborhood (16).

Most of the few houses in the North Campus neighborhood were custom built in the 1950s along Fuller Road and Glazier Way. They sell for anywhere from \$200,000 to \$600,000 or even more.

Most North Campus children are bused to Angell, Logan, and Northside elementaries. Clague and Tappan are the middle schools. The high school is Huron. North Campus east of Murfin Avenue is located in the Second Ward; residents living west of Murfin Avenue vote in the First Ward.

#### 9: NORTHWOOD V/VINTAGE VALLEY

Northwood V is a large complex of townhouses for married U-M students. Half of the resi-

dents come from other countries, and nearly all have young families. Vintage Valley is a subdivision made up of expensive custom-built homes; prices average about \$300,000. The newer Woodlands subdivision, located near Vintage Valley in the hilly, wooded area just north of Glazier Way, is even more expensive: custom-built houses there range from \$450,000 to \$650,000. The Oslund semidetached condominiums are located on the north side of Glazier Way at Huron Parkway.

Both areas are primarily family-oriented. Children living in Northwood V are bused to Northside Elementary; other neighborhood children attend King. Clague is the middle school, and Huron is the high school. North-

### My Neighborhood



Pamela Meisel.

On summer nights on West Washington Street, you hear it first: spirited Irish tunes, soft laughter, and singing. Then you see it: an old garage, painted white inside and festooned with colored lights, housing a circle of musicians who welcome the curious passerby with a smile. It's Pamela Meisel's "clubhouse."

Meisel is a musician who teaches fiddle, guitar, and bodhran. She's lived on Washington, with a couple of housemates, for five years. "I like the funkiness of the neighborhood... the cats, and the Washtenaw Dairy," she says.

Meisel says interacting with her neighborhood is important. She refers to her front porch as the "howdy porch." And of course, there's the clubhouse. "We turned the garage into a place for gathering and a place to see from the street," she says. "We have music parties, birthday parties, in conjunction with the next-door neighbors."

Every year, a Halloween parade starts at the clubhouse and makes its way through the neighborhood. Even that has a musical element, says Meisel: "People dress up and carry lanterns and bang drums."

—Whitley Hill

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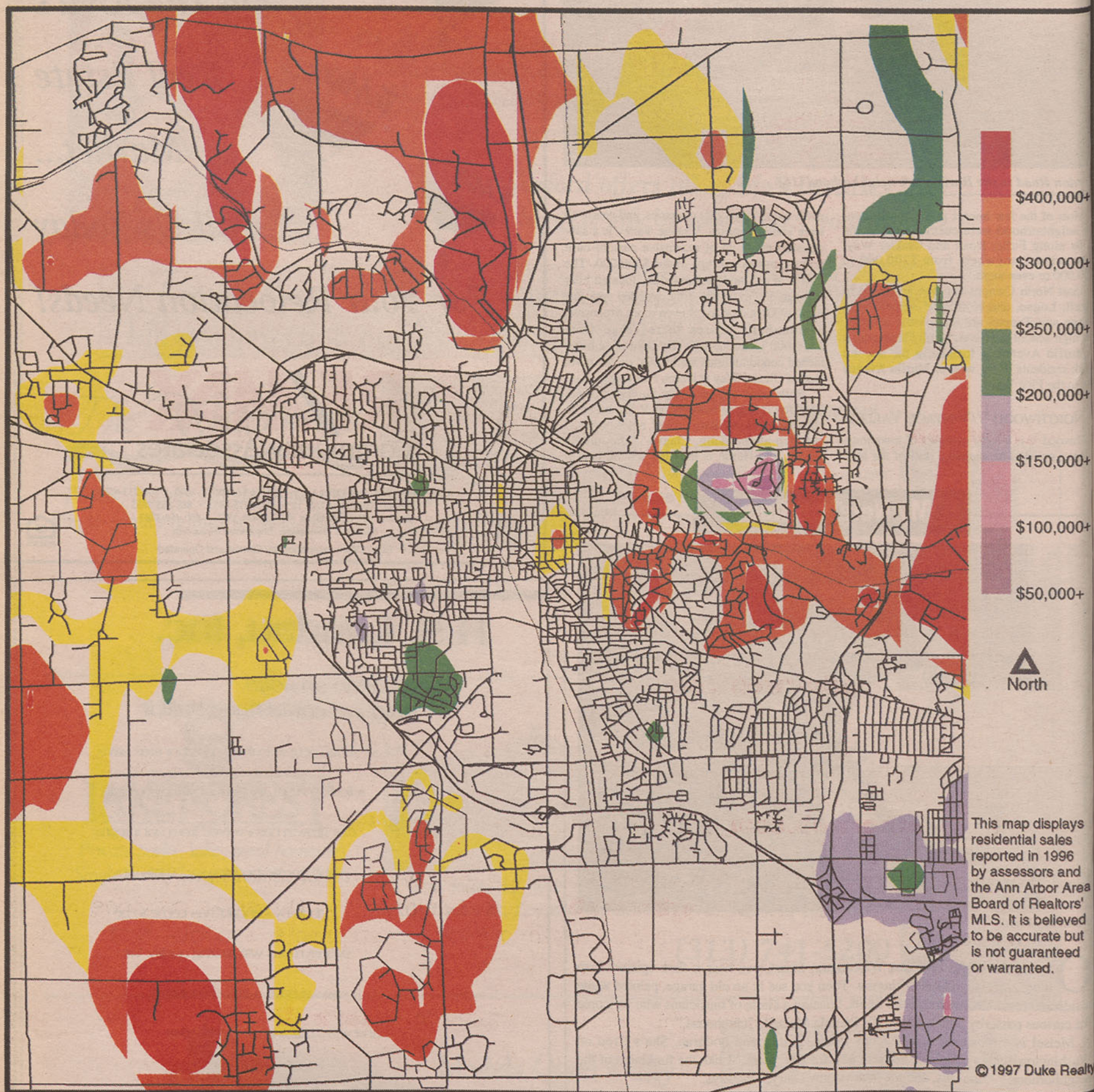


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# 1996 REAL ESTATE SALES



This map, derived from the 1997 edition of *The Real Map of Ann Arbor's Residential Property Values*, gives a bird's-eye view of Ann Arbor residential property sales in 1996. The colored contours are based on sales of single-family homes, condominiums, and cooperatives, both resales and new construction. The isovalents reflect over \$373 million in transactions. However, they show only the value of the homes that were sold last year—they are not an appraisal of the surrounding neighborhoods.

Four out of five sales in 1996 were single-family homes. They cost an average of \$188,000. The median price (half were more expensive, half were less) was a somewhat more affordable \$166,000. Still, home buyers would need to demonstrate an annual income of nearly \$55,000 to convince a loan officer to provide conventional financing at the median price. With a 20 percent down payment and the balance amortized over thirty years at 7 percent interest, the monthly payment on that median

home would total \$1,300, including insurance and city property taxes.

There was more activity in some price ranges than others. For example, 170 single-family homes sold for less than \$100,000, while only 56 fetched more than \$400,000. The largest group, 533, were priced between \$100,000 and \$150,000. The next largest group, 463, sold for \$150,000–\$200,000. There were 239 sales between \$200,000 and \$250,000, 121 between \$250,000 and \$300,000, and 122 be-

tween \$300,000 and \$400,000.

Condos and co-ops averaged \$125,000 apiece. Their median sale price was \$108,000.

Despite the purple dot at the corner of Foster Road and Huron River Drive, no one actually succeeded in buying a home on Barton Pond for less than \$100,000. The building on that property was condemned and was razed soon after the sale. The price reflected the value of the land alone.

—Kevin Duke



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### 10: GLACIER HIGHLANDS/ GREENBRIER

Along this neighborhood's moderately winding streets are colonial, ranch, and tri-level homes that sell for \$200,000-\$270,000. Homes in Earhart Knolls, off Glazier just west of Earhart, can cost \$300,000 or more. Farther north, off Green Road, is the 501-unit Greenbrier apartment complex and the Greenbrier subdivision. The colonials, Cape Cods, and tri-levels that line the subdivision's wooded streets cost from \$195,000 to \$225,000.

Residents here vote in Ward Two. Children attend King Elementary, Clague Middle School, and Huron High.

### 11 & 12: EARHART/CONCORDIA & GEDDES LAKE

South of Glazier Way on Ann Arbor's far eastern side are the heavily wooded Earhart Earhart West, and Watershed subdivisions and the Geddes Lake co-op townhouses. These neighborhoods range from contemporary custom-built homes on big lots in natural setting to neatly landscaped townhouses and condominiums. The heavy ground cover shelters a surprising amount of wildlife.

Earhart/Concordia's household income is one of the highest in Ann Arbor, reflected in the area's home prices: \$300,000-\$800,000 for homes ranging in age from new to twenty years old. The Geddes Lake units, across Huron Parkway from Huron High and due west of Waldenwood, sell for \$65,000-\$100,000.

East of Earhart Road, in a wooded, hilly natural setting, are the Earhart Village condominiums. They were built in the early 1970s in varying floor plans. A clubhouse and pool provide a focal point for residents, many of whom are prominent figures in the city and at the U-M. The area is home also to three luxury condominium complexes: the Heritage Ridge single-unit condos, at Geddes and Huron Parkway; Ridgemaar Square, just off Earhart Road and Oakridge, a three-story building on the southeast corner of Huron Parkway and Glazier Way.

The Watershed subdivision, south of Glazier just west of Watershed Drive, features single-family houses (which start at about \$300,000) and condos built in the late 1980s. Adjacent Earhart West houses are slightly older and slightly larger, the majority costing from \$300,000 to \$400,000.

Both areas are located within Ward Two. Schools are King Elementary, Clague Middle School, and Huron High.

### 13: GEDDES/ARBORETUM

Once known for its oak and hickory forests and now known for its huge, university-owned park, the Geddes/Arboretum area south of the Huron River is made up of large and stately older homes built in the 1920s and 1930s, along with some modern custom-built houses toward the river, a few fraternity and sorority houses, and some apartment buildings near the university. The area is home to many prominent U-M professors; a majority of the neighbors are longtime residents, with some recently relocated younger families.

Houses are priced anywhere from \$250,000 to \$900,000 or more for the contemporary homes on Riverview. This is one of the half dozen most affluent neighborhoods in the city, even after figuring in the moderating influence of student housing. Geddes falls within the Second Ward. Schools are Angell Elementary, Tappan Middle School, and Huron High.

### 14: ANN ARBOR HILLS AREA

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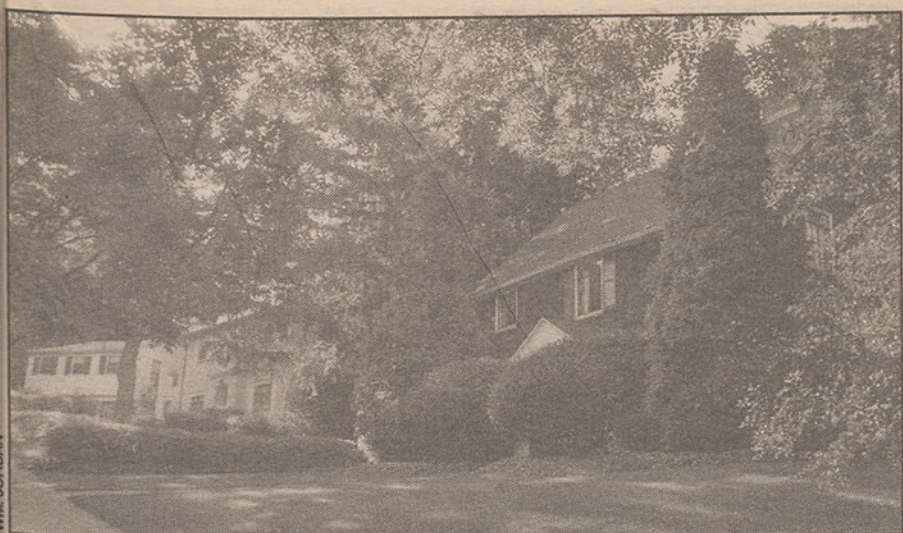
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*Hermitage Road winds through secluded Ives Woods (15).*

Winding, heavily wooded streets characterize the western portion, located just north and east of Washtenaw Avenue west of its split with Stadium Boulevard. Situated here are the Ann Arbor Hills, Tuomy Hills, and Woodhaven Hills subdivisions. Homes range in price from \$200,000 to \$700,000. The architecture is varied, and many of the houses sit in isolated splendor on one-third- to one-acre lots. New single-family houses expand Woodhaven Hills farther east on Overridge toward Huron Parkway. With units costing \$295,000 and up, Huron Chase is a pricey 50-unit condominium development just off the parkway itself.

The area east of Huron Parkway includes large, older, single-family homes along

Chalmers and Woodland roads, and the small Thornoaks subdivision, consisting of smaller, custom-built homes constructed in the 1950s and 1960s. Houses in Thornoaks are priced from \$190,000 to \$325,000. A good deal of new construction is likely to take place east of Chalmers in the next few years; as the City Guide went to press, lot sales had just begun in the large Woodcreek subdivision there.

Ann Arbor Hills is the city's wealthiest neighborhood. It also is home to many people over age sixty, the second-highest percentage in Ann Arbor. Residents vote in the Second Ward. Schools are Angell, Burns Park, and King elementaries, Tappan and Clague middle schools, and Huron High.

## My Neighborhood



*Herb and Marla Rickloff, with daughters Laura, Kristen, and Theresa.*

**H**erb and Marla Rickloff *really* like their neighborhood. They've owned two other houses in the Winewood/Thaler area, purchasing the home where they now live in 1983.

The Rickloffs were among the young couples and families who moved to their present neighborhood soon after it was built in the early 1980s. Seven of those original fifteen families are still residents.

It's a neighborhood of modest homes, and Marla says she occasionally considers moving to a more upscale area. But their friendships with neighbors keep the Rickloffs in the same place.

Herb recalls the time he and Marla left on a business trip to Germany just before the death of neighbor Joe Pray. "Our house became a hotel for guests," he says. Neighbors didn't even have to ask—they knew they'd be able to put people up at the Rickloffs'. "It was during the winter storm, and when our pipe burst, [another neighbor] fixed it himself," Herb recalls.

—Chris Russo

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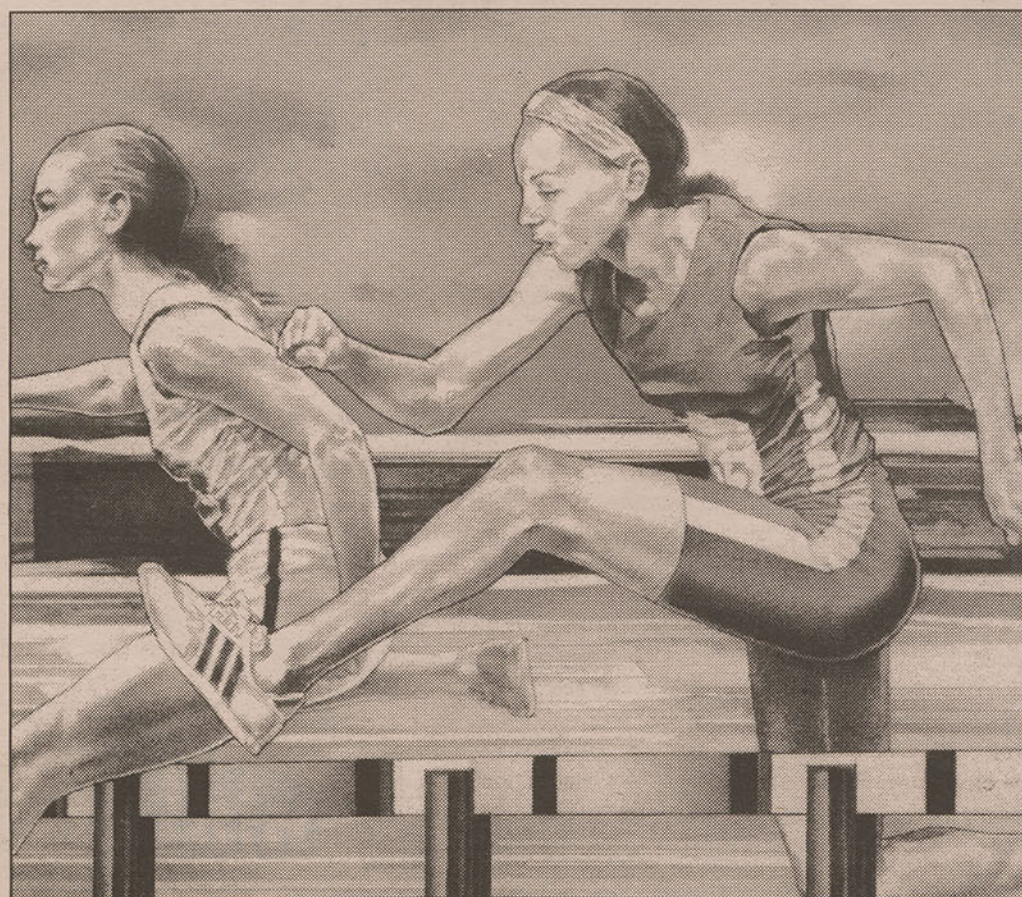
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## 15 & 16: IVES WOODS & BURNS PARK

An older, established neighborhood, Ives Woods has one of the highest median household incomes in Ann Arbor. Homes nestled within this neighborhood's tree-lined streets sell for \$300,000-\$650,000. Schools are Burns Park Elementary, Tappan Middle School, and Pioneer High.

Just west of Ives Woods, slightly more modest homes mark the boundary of the Burns Park neighborhood. This neighborhood centers around the park itself, which began in 1890 as the home of the Washtenaw County Agricultural and Horticultural Society's fairgrounds. Moderately expensive single-family homes favored by academics are found in the eastern half, with student rental property dominating the area west of Packard and north of Granger. (On both sides of Packard, though, the proportion of student housing drops off sharply as you leave the campus area.) The North Burns Park area, north of Wells to Hill Street, also has a high student presence. Larger fraternity, sorority, and cooperative houses and apartment buildings blend surprisingly well with older houses occupied by longtime residents and families.

Houses in the Burns Park area sell for \$130,000 to well over \$450,000. Ives Woods lies completely in Ward Three. Burns Park residents vote predominantly in Ward Three, but those west of Packard (and a few campus neighborhoods east of Packard) vote in Ward Four. Schools are Burns Park Elementary, Tappan Middle School, and Pioneer High.

## 17 & 18: SOUTH UNIVERSITY & CENTRAL AND MEDICAL CAMPUSES

A wide range of housing can be found in these student-dominated neighborhoods bordering the U-M's Central and Medical campuses. Generally, these are older neighborhoods, dating back to the late 1800s and early 1900s. In the 1960s, apartment buildings replaced many of the older houses before zoning restrictions effectively ended new construction near campus.

The majority of households in South University are comprised of unrelated adults—this is the classic student ghetto. Central Campus/Medical Campus is also a popular student area. The southern half of the South University area is located within Ward Three; the northern half is in Ward Two. The Central and Medical campus areas vote in Ward One.

## 19 & 20: OLD FOURTH WARD & NORTH CENTRAL

The Old Fourth Ward and North Central areas sit side by side on the southern slopes of the Huron River valley—the Old Fourth Ward to the east, between Glen and Division streets, and North Central running from there west to the Ann Arbor Railroad tracks just west of Main.

To newcomers, North Central is an exciting urban neighborhood, its quaint old homes just a few minutes' walk from the Farmers' Market, Zingerman's, and downtown. Longtime residents, who remember when it was poor, polluted, and racially segregated, are bemused at its newfound cachet. For years, this was one of the few areas in town where black Ann Arborites could buy homes; today it houses a racially and economically diverse population, including city workers and retirees, U-M faculty and staff, professionals, and an increasing number of young families. Older houses sell here in the \$110,000-\$140,000 range, while a scattering of new and rehabbed condos and single-family homes sell from \$150,000 to as high as \$450,000.

Homes in the Old Fourth Ward vary greatly. The Old Fourth Ward Historic District, which extends across Division into the North Central area, includes a number of nineteenth-century mansions along North Division and many superb Victorian houses in the Kingsley area. These are interspersed with the squat, brick apartment buildings that replaced many older houses in the 1960s. Today, most of the households in the Old Fourth Ward are occupied by renters, mainly U-M students. Children are bused to Haisley Elementary and at-

tend Slauson Middle School and Pioneer High. Both the Old Fourth Ward and the North Central areas are located within the First Ward.

## 21 & 22: DOWNTOWN & SOUTH CENTRAL

The first house in Ann Arbor, built in 1824 by one of the city's founders, Elisha Rumsey, stood at the corner of Huron and First streets. As the downtown grew, that house—and almost all other housing in the present downtown area—was demolished for commercial construction. Since the 1980s, rehabbers have been rescuing long-vacant upstairs apartments in many downtown commercial buildings. There has also been a significant growth in owner-occupied housing, with construction of the Sloan Plaza condos on Huron, conversion of the Tower Plaza apartments to condos, and the handful of condos on top of One North Main. Depending on size and altitude, units may sell anywhere from \$60,000 to \$390,000. Downtown is also home to quite a few U-M students, living in old houses within a few blocks of the State Street edge of campus. This neighborhood has the highest number of single-person households in the city.

South Central is largely student housing. The northeast corner of the downtown area is located in Ward One; the remainder of downtown votes in Ward Five. The majority of the South Central area is located within Ward Four, but small portions vote in wards One and Five.

## 23: ALLMENDINGER

This neighborhood is bounded on the east and west by Main and Seventh streets, and on the north and south by Stadium and Pauline. Although a few houses date to the 1920s and 1930s, most were built after World War II. Single-family bungalows, small ranches, and a few story-and-a-halfs in the area range from \$135,000 to \$180,000. Home ownership is the

norm here, and families are fairly common. Allmendinger Park, on Pauline, is a center of activity throughout the year with its softball diamonds, a playground, tennis and basketball courts, and picnic facilities. The huge groves of lilacs on its perimeter are a special treat in May.

The area is located within the Fourth Ward. Schools are Mack Elementary, Slauson Middle School, and Pioneer High.

## 24: OLD WEST SIDE

This neighborhood, much written about in city histories, has the distinction of being placed on the National Register of Historic Places, not just for its architecture, but for its overall historic character. A few of its houses can be seen in photographs taken in the mid-1800s. Most, though, are small Victorians with one or two finely crafted details. Many residents have painstakingly restored their homes and show them off in an annual homes tour. With its modest yet beautifully individual homes and its tree-lined streets, the Old West Side offers a much-sought-after small-town quality.

Part of the charm and character of the Old West Side is the mix of people—students, professionals, families, faculty, and retirees—who live comfortably here in the German-built Victorians, and in some newer two-story colonial and custom-built houses and scattered apartment buildings. Prices run anywhere from \$100,000 to \$280,000.

The Old West Side, like many Ann Arbor neighborhoods, has seen an increase in the number of affluent young professional families. The small student presence is concentrated around First Street in small apartment buildings. Owner and rental households are evenly split (the 204-unit Nob Hill apartment complex is unobtrusively integrated into the neighborhood's southern edge).

The Old West Side lies entirely within the boundaries of the Fifth Ward. Schools are

## My Neighborhood



Mon Yee.

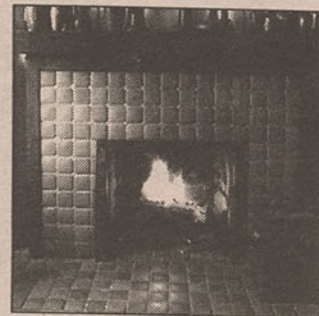
Almost every day after work, Mon Yee embarks on a five-mile hike through his South Maple neighborhood. "It's very friendly," says Yee, a data manager at the Medstat Group. "I run across people walking dogs, or jogging, or other walkers like myself."

Yee says he likes the mix of people in his neighborhood and the quiet of the Surrey Park Apartment complex where he lives. Each unit has a grassy area and a patio. Some tenants compete in an annual gardening contest, but not Yee. "I've not been blessed with a green thumb," he says.

Though his neighborhood has weathered tough times in recent years, Yee sees its fortune changing. "The old Farmer Jack is going to be a Merchant of Vino and, of course, Kroger is building a large, new superstore," he says. "This entire area is looking up."

—Whitley Hill

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## HOUSING

Eberwhite and Mack elementaries, Slauson Middle School, and Pioneer High.

### 25: WEST PARK/MILLER

This neighborhood is dominated by one of the city's best-known parks, West Park, established in 1910. The park's band shell draws crowds of Ann Arborites to concerts and festivals throughout the summer. At manholes in the park, you can hear the gurgle of a tributary of Allen's Creek as it flows through a storm sewer on its way east to join the main stream near the Ann Arbor Railroad. Better than half of the households are renters; the remainder own small frame houses that sell for around \$100,000-\$160,000.

This area has a good blend of families and residents over sixty, thanks in part to the presence of Miller Manor, the city-owned apartment building for senior and disabled citizens that towers over the northern edge of West Park, and the Lurie Terrace senior apartment complex on its south side.

Until the city passed a fair housing ordinance in the 1960s, most of Ann Arbor's black residents were steered to the Miller area and the adjoining North Central neighborhood across the Ann Arbor Railroad tracks. Always racially heterogeneous, the Miller area has become more economically varied in the 1980s and 1990s, as low-key young professionals and families found they liked the neighborhood's American small-town look and neighborly sociability.

This neighborhood includes precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

### 26: MACK SCHOOL/SUNSET

Houses come in all sizes and shapes in this immensely varied neighborhood: big nineteenth-century and early-twentieth-century houses, modest ranches, and even prefab steel Lustron homes can be found in the area south of Sunset and east of Newport. Prices start at \$120,000. Secluded, custom-built contemporary houses north of Sunset sell for \$160,000-\$250,000.

The neighborhood is marked by some impressive hills: Hunt Park, at Spring Street and Sunset Road, offers a splendid view of the downtown area. Another notable landmark is the city's water treatment plant, high on a hill on the south side of Sunset near Newport Road, which pumps water from the Huron River at Barton Pond to Ann Arbor residents. This is the city's highest point.

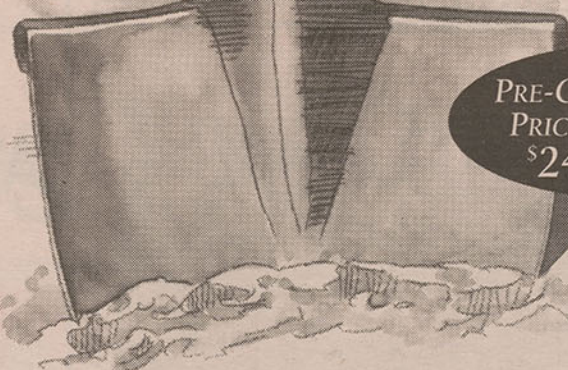
Mack School/Sunset is comprised mostly of owner-occupied households. It is located in wards One and Five. Schools are Mack and Wines elementaries, Forsythe and Slauson middle schools, and Pioneer High.

### 27: NEWPORT

On the city's far northwest side, the spacious Newport area offers custom-built single-family colonials, ranches, and condominiums in an almost rural setting bounded by the Huron River on the north and east. Developed on former farmlands, these affluent subdivisions are dominated by family-minded professionals and business executives.

The nearer edge of the Newport area consists of some lovely old farmhouses and moved into a string of 1950s ranches selling for around \$130,000. The Newport West Condominiums are off Newport just north of M-14 and adjacent to Bird Hills Park. Farther down Newport Road just north of Bird Road is the new Newport Hills subdivision, which includes seventy-three single-family dwellings. Newport Creek, a new subdivision nearby, will offer forty-eight lots of custom homes starting at \$450,000; construction is scheduled to begin in September 1997. Still farther down Newport Road, near the Huron River, is the posh River Ridge subdivision. One-of-a-kind homes, set back off winding streets, sell for \$240,000.

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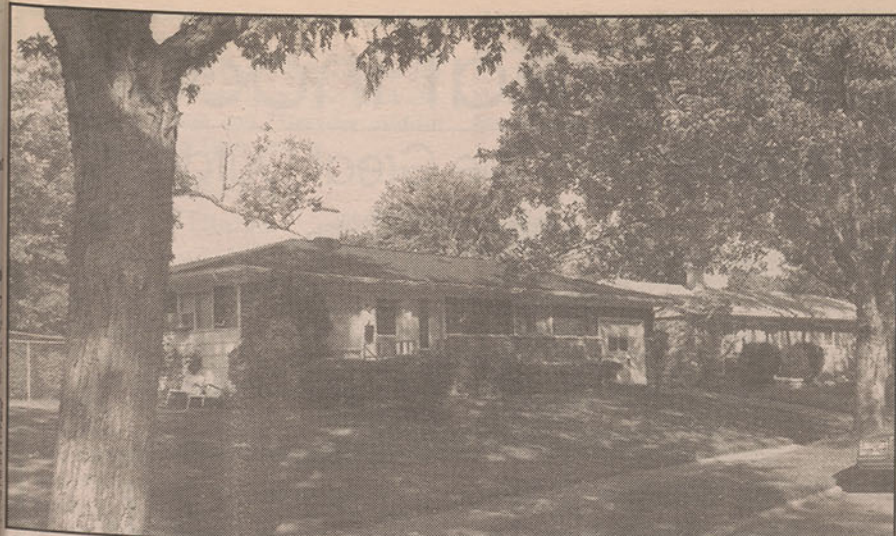
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Tidy ranches line North Circle Drive in the Haisley neighborhood (29).

over \$400,000. Large custom-built homes along Blueberry Lane and west of Newport are comparably priced.

Renters are rare to nonexistent in Newport. This neighborhood lies within the First Ward. Schools are Wines Elementary, Forsythe Middle School, and Pioneer High.

#### 28 & 29: GARDEN HOMES/ CRESCENT & HAISLEY/ VETERANS PARK

These neighborhoods in the Miller, Jackson, and Stadium/Maple area are dominated by moderately priced ranches, Cape Cods, and small colonials. Some were built as recently as

the late 1980s; others have been around since about 1940.

Garden Homes' bi-level and ranch houses are in the \$100,000-\$140,000 price range. The Martin Acres subdivision, within the Hatcher Crescent-Saunders Crescent loop, has ranches and tri-levels for \$120,000-\$140,000. Residents vote in the Fifth Ward. Schools are Wines Elementary, Forsythe Middle School, and Pioneer High.

Haisley area ranches, like those in Garden Homes, cost between \$110,000 and \$130,000. In the nearby Wildwood area between Dexter and Miller avenues, two-story traditional houses sell for \$140,000-\$200,000. Cape Cods line

### My Neighborhood



Mary Merrell.

Mary Merrell lived most of her life in Florida before she moved to Cranbrook Towers three years ago to be closer to her children and grandchildren.

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Residents and staff host many events and activities, including an annual white elephant sale, daily visits by the bookmobile, and classes on a variety of topics. Cranbrook's proximity to a neighboring retirement complex, Brookhaven Manor, further expands the options of community residents.

"There is always something going on here. Everyone stays really busy," Merrell says. "I love to play bridge and that's one activity we don't have here. . . . When the folks at Brookhaven found out that I liked to play, they invited me over. Now I walk over once a week and join in."

Merrell credits Cranbrook's management for making her neighborhood so enjoyable for the residents. "Everyone in the front office is just lovely . . . A lot of the seniors here are very active, so they keep a steady stream of activities going. Like anyone else, I like to stay busy."

—Kristy Short

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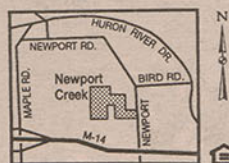
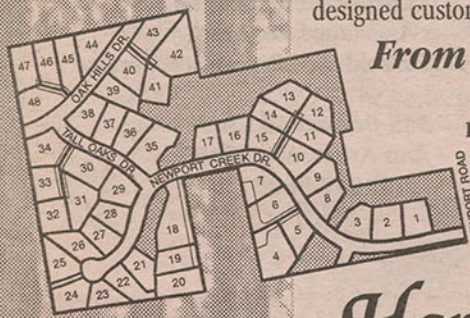
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### 30 & 31: VIRGINIA PARK & WINEWOOD/THALER

Between Jackson and Liberty from Crest Avenue west to Stadium, homes go from old to relatively new in a fairly steady progression, tracing the west side's gradual expansion away from the downtown core. Virginia Park is the eastern and older section, running from Crest to Glendale; Winewood/Thaler continues west from there to Stadium, where its western edge is lined with small commercial buildings.

The Virginia Park area has many two-family duplexes, particularly on Bemidji Street. There are also older single-family homes and Cape Cods in this area, priced from \$120,000 to \$160,000. Contemporary duplexes on Glendale are priced up to around \$200,000.

The 75-unit Charlton and 120-unit Westwood apartment complexes are in this neighborhood, and many of the smaller houses in the neighborhood also are rentals. Starter homes, ranches, and Cape Cods, along with a small number of duplexes, sell for \$95,000-\$140,000.

Both Virginia Park and Winewood/Thaler fall in the Fifth Ward. Schools are Eberwhite Elementary, Slauson Middle School, and Pioneer High.

### 32: EBERWHITE WOODS

Named for Eber White, an early farmer in the area who helped fugitive slaves escape to

Canada, Eberwhite Woods is one of the loveliest neighborhoods on the west side of town. It's made up of several small subdivisions, along with older apartment complexes in the Pauline-Arbordale-Northwood area.

Most of the houses in this area were built between 1915 and 1935. Rolling, tree-lined streets are showcases for a variety of two-story traditionals. The smaller houses, which are rarely available, are priced around \$140,000; larger ones sell for up to \$250,000.

Dover Parkside, a subdivision along Dartmoor Street, was built in the 1960s by George Airey, who also developed subdivisions in the Dicken neighborhood. Houses generally sell in the \$160,000-\$250,000 range—although very new homes have sometimes gone for more. Just west of Dover Parkside, south of Liberty and east of Stadium, are the new Ridgewood condominiums.

This neighborhood lies completely within Ward Five. Schools are Eberwhite Elementary, Slauson Middle School, and Pioneer High.

### 33 & 34: PAULINE/STADIUM & DICKEN

This area was farmed up until the early part of this century. Today, it is dotted with heavily landscaped subdivisions and a sprinkling of wooded areas near Pioneer High School and Greenview Park.

Most of the houses in the Pauline/Stadium neighborhood were built in the 1950s and 1960s. Several homes in this area were built by local high school construction classes. They are comparably priced with other new construction and sell well. Ranches sell for \$125,000-\$160,000, and colonials in the

## My Neighborhood



Sarai and Liza Koster-Mockeridge.

When they went looking for a home in Ann Arbor, Sarai and Liza Koster-Mockeridge didn't want to settle into a barren new subdivision. They wanted an older neighborhood where every house looked different, yards were rich with tall trees and flower beds, and people got to know their neighbors. Home owners since January, the young couple says their home on Rosewood fills this tall order.

"Our neighborhood has classic character," says Sarai.

"Everyone knows the names of everyone else's children and pets," says Liza. "Kids come over and let us know when our dog has gotten loose and bring her back to us. . . . This is the kind of neighborhood we want to raise a family in."

The Koster-Mockeridges say they love the variety of people in their neighborhood as well. "There are young couples with babies, gay couples, and families with many different ethnic backgrounds," says Sarai. "It's a good, diverse mix."

—Kristy Short

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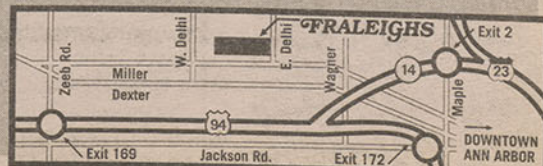


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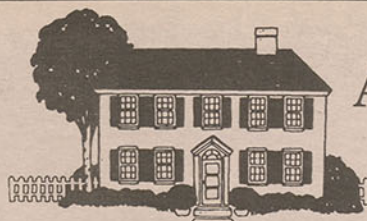
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## HOUSING

Meadowbrook Avenue area cost \$160,000-\$185,000. There are two good-sized rental complexes in this neighborhood—the Stadium and Wyndham Hill apartments.

Schools for the Pauline/Stadium neighborhood are Eberwhite Elementary, Slauson Middle School, and Pioneer High.

Across Stadium to the southwest is the family-oriented Dicken/Vernon Downs area, mostly owner-occupied. Houses vary from 1960s-era ranches like those on Norfolk and Suffolk to the spacious ranches and two-story colonials in the Barnard Heights subdivision near Dicken School. The smaller ranches, many constructed by builder George Airey, start at about \$130,000; prices in the area range up to \$165,000. Both neighborhoods are in the Fourth Ward. Schools are Dicken and Lawton elementaries, Slauson Middle School and Pioneer High.

### 35: SOUTH MAPLE

Located on the city's far west side, just east of I-94, this area is dominated by condominium and apartment complexes concentrated in a dense cluster around the intersection of Pauline and Maple. The sprawling Walden Hills condominium complex, just north of Pauline and east of Maple, has units starting at \$49,000. Across the road, the contemporary Walden Village condominiums on Pauline Court are set back behind a berm that makes the units barely visible from the road. Also off Pauline are the Park Place and adjacent Hillcrest apartments. Across South Maple are the 167-unit Surrey Park apartments, the Pine Lake Village Cooperative, the South Maple public housing project, and Country Village, with twenty-two single-family homes.

This area is in the Fifth Ward. Elementary schoolchildren in the Pine Lake Village co-op are bused to Lawton School. Otherwise schools are Dicken Elementary, Slauson Middle School, and Pioneer High.

### 36: LAKEWOOD

On the city's far west side, bounded by I-94 and Liberty and Wagner roads, the Lakewood neighborhood has a rare blend of residents—both professionals and blue-collar workers.

Colonials and custom-built tri-levels and ranches, some built in the 1920s, border the wooded areas near First Sister and Second Sister lakes; they sell in the \$120,000-\$270,000 range. Smaller ranches that went up in the 1940s through the 1960s start at \$120,000. Liberty Pointe condominiums are just west of I-94 on Liberty. Homes in the Liberty Glen subdivision range from \$185,000 to \$235,000.

Lakewood is home to a number of U-M faculty and staff as well as retired people. Families are common. Lakewood is located within Ward Five. Schools are Dicken Elementary, Slauson Middle School, and Pioneer High.

### 37: LANSDOWNE

The Lansdowne subdivision sits on slightly rolling terrain on either side of Seventh Street south of Scio Church Road. Its meticulously kept lawns and large, modern homes make it Ann Arbor's model of a classic suburb.

Lansdowne's families tend to be older than their neighbors in the nearby Churchill Downs and Meadowbrook subdivisions. Many houses were built in the early 1970s, although some date back to the mid-1960s and a few are newer. They vary from ranches, colonials, and tri-levels to traditionals, with prices ranging from \$200,000 to \$300,000 or more.

The Churchill Downs subdivision west of Lansdowne is made up of slightly newer and less expensive single-family ranch, colonial, and tri-level houses in the \$160,000-\$185,000 price range. Like Lansdowne, it is popular with families.



The Meadowbrook Village apartments and Meadowbrook subdivision, built in the mid-1980s, are located on the west side of Ann Arbor-Saline Road just north of I-94. The houses are single-family bi-levels and ranches priced from \$140,000 to \$185,000. Occupants range from retirees to young families. The Meadowbrook apartments feature unusual floor plans designed for unrelated people who live together: in two-bedroom units, both bedrooms have adjoining baths, and they sit at opposite ends of the apartment with common living areas between.

Home owners dominate the neighborhood, and many families have children at home. Lansdowne residents vote in the Fourth Ward. Schools are Lawton Elementary, Slauson Middle School, and Pioneer High.

### 38 & 39: HIDDEN VALLEY & BOARDWALK

These neighborhoods, just north and east of Briarwood, have only a smattering of houses off Main Street, on Valhalla near Scio Church, and on Golfview past Ann Arbor-Saline Road. Housing is dominated by the 324-unit Hidden Valley apartment complex on South Street and, off South Main, the 108-unit Burlington Woods complex (which includes apartments and townhouses), and the luxurious 208-unit Harbor House apartments. Nearby, a new complex, Lake Village, is under construction.

Both the Hidden Valley and Boardwalk neighborhoods are located within the Fourth Ward. Schools are Pattengill and Bryant elementaries, Tappan Middle School, and Pioneer High.

### 40 & 51: CRANBROOK & BRIARWOOD

These neighboring areas were once dense woods and open fields. Since Briarwood's completion in 1973, they have been transformed into a profusion of commercial, office, and residential developments.

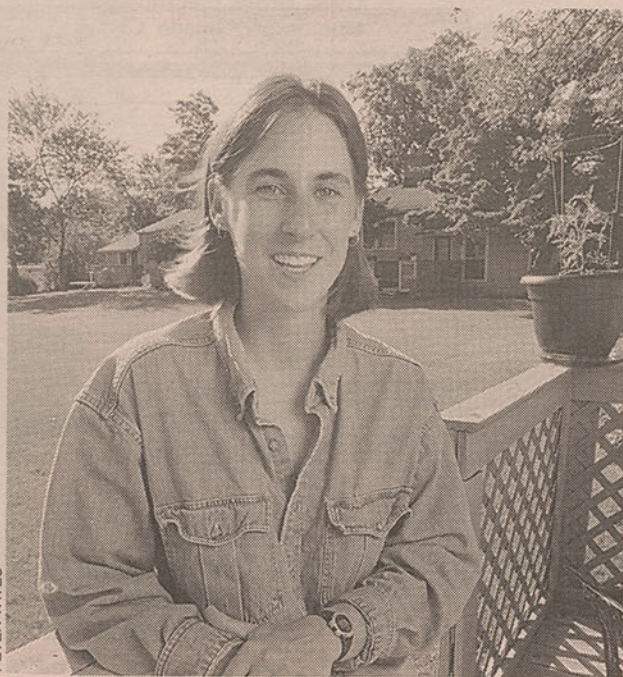
At one time, Cranbrook Tower for seniors was the only housing in this area. But four more large residential projects followed, adding well over 1,000 apartments to the neighborhood, including the luxurious Signature Villas and Briar Cove apartments, the 139-unit Brookhaven Manor luxury senior development, and the roughly 300 apartments and townhouses in Woodland Meadows, located at the corner of Main Street and Ann Arbor-Saline Road. The 140-unit Oakbrook Condominiums between Ann Arbor-Saline and Main added detached units to the mix.

Both the Cranbrook and the Briarwood neighborhoods are located within Ward Four. Schools are Pattengill and Bryant elementaries, Slauson and Tappan middle schools, and Pioneer High.

### 41: WOODBURY GARDENS/ROSEWOOD/JEWETT

Moderately priced houses built in the 1940s and 1950s are mixed here with modern apartments. The Woodbury Gardens complex features a clubhouse, one- to three-bedroom apartments, and townhouses. The complex takes its name from the U-M Botanical Gardens, which were located in the Stadium-Iroquois area from 1915 until their move to Dixboro Road in 1959.

## My Neighborhood



PETER YATES

Lara Slee.

When graduate student Lara Slee moved from her small apartment off Stadium Boulevard to rent a townhome in the Village, she didn't realize what a good move it would turn out to be.

"Just about everything is taken care of for you," she says. "We have a board of directors that oversees the maintenance and upkeep of the entire community, so the landscaping is always beautiful. They cut your lawn and remove the snow from sidewalks in the winter."

Not a big fan of downtown traffic, Slee says she prefers living midway between the U-M and EMU. "Now I'm close to both universities, but not too close. I like the breathing room . . . It's nice to come home after work to a quiet, comfortable neighborhood."

Only a stone's throw from shopping on Washtenaw and Packard, the Village still offers her the quiet of the country. "As a renter," says Slee, "sometimes that's hard to find."

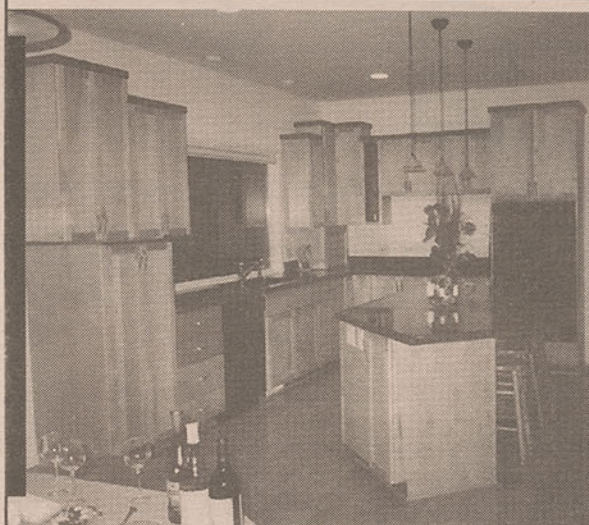
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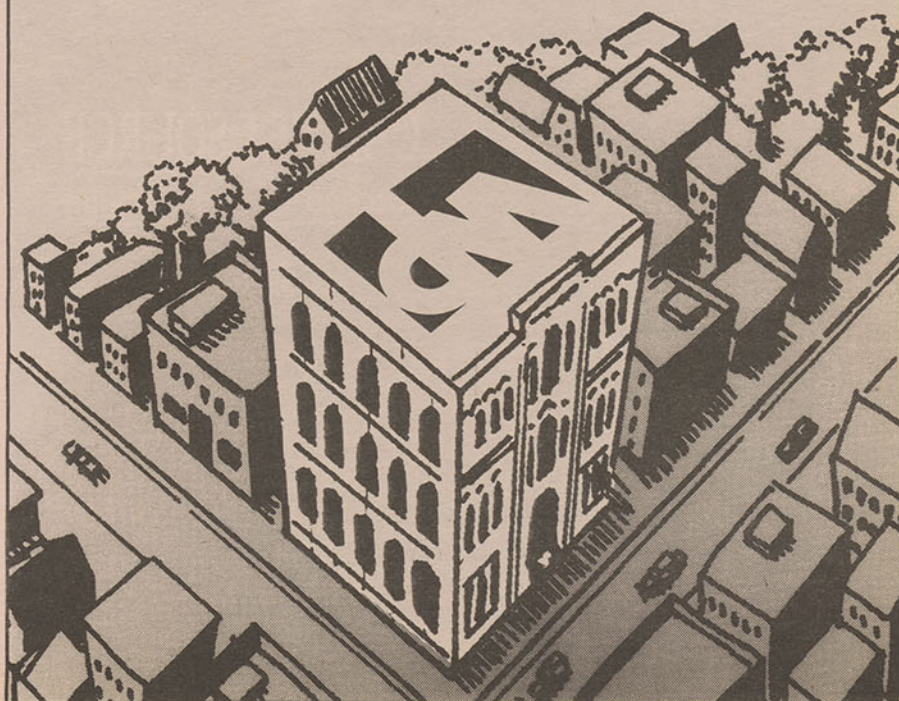


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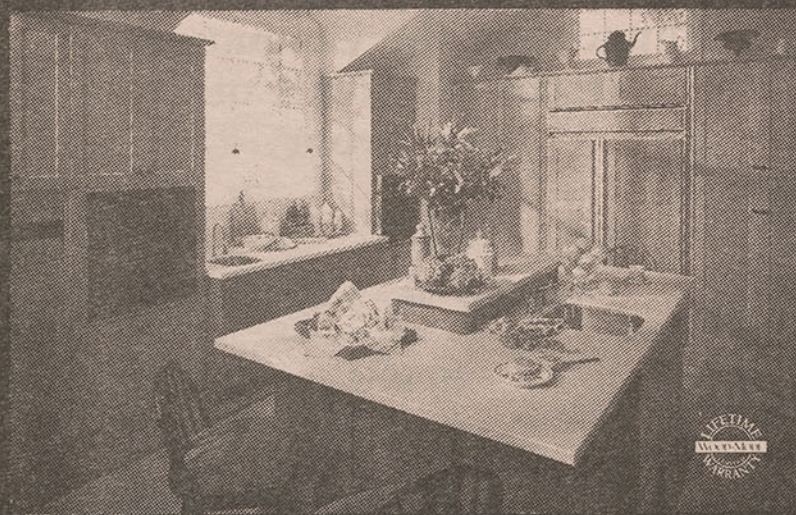
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*Kimberly Road in Kimberly Hills (44).*

This area's western border along South Industrial is home to numerous small commercial and industrial businesses that spill over into the western ends of Rosewood and Jewett streets. Along these tree-lined streets are single-family ranches and small Cape Cods that sell for \$90,000-\$125,000. The neighborhood hosts both a charter school, Central Academy, on South Industrial, and the private alternative Clonlara on Jewett.

The neighborhood falls within the Fourth Ward. Schools are Bryant, Pattengill, and Burns Park elementaries (the latter for Iro-

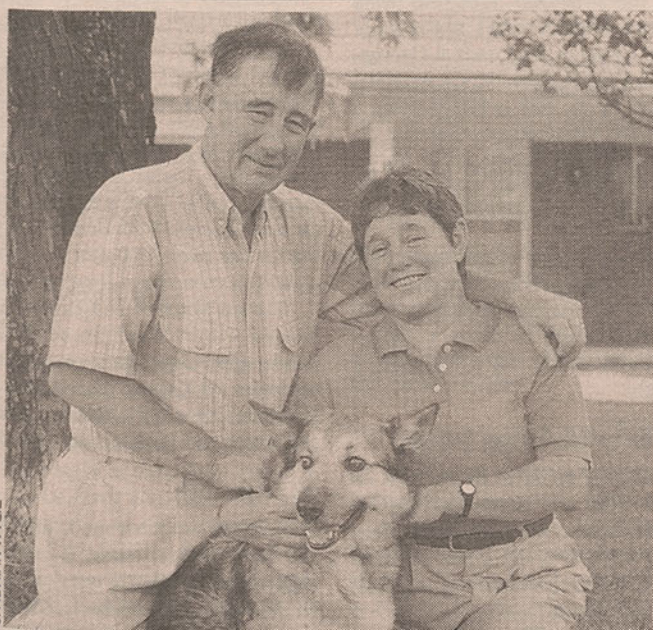
quois Place residents only), Tappan Middle School, and Pioneer High.

#### 42: GEORGETOWN/PINE VALLEY

These two subdivisions stretch southwest from Packard Road across Eisenhower Parkway all the way to I-94. Single-family houses in these areas are a mix of tri-levels, ranches, colonials, and Cape Cods.

Both Georgetown and Pine Valley subdivisions have winding, tree-lined streets. Georgetown has the advantage of a semiprivate golf course, a private pool, and a tennis court.

### My Neighborhood



*Dan and Kay Maloney.*

In the nearly three decades that Dan and Kay Maloney have lived in their Pittsfield Township home, they've seen the growth of Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti transform their neighborhood.

"Washtenaw Avenue was two lanes when we moved in, and the Ypsi-Arbor Drive-in was running across the street, where the Kroger is now," recalls Dan. "When we first moved here, I could sit in my house and see pheasants walking through the fields. Now those fields are all new developments."

One reason the Maloneys have stayed in their home on Foster is that it's so close to Dan's former job; he was a manager at the Washtenaw Kmart for twenty-five years before he retired. Kay, a part-time nurse, has also worked in the area for most of her life.

And even though the city has grown up so rapidly around them, according to Dan, their neighborhood has not lost its peaceful quality. "Our street and the one behind us have stayed pretty much the same," he says. "We have some neighbors who have been in their home for forty years, so we have good friends that keep us here as well."

—Kristy Short

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## HOUSING

Functioning as Georgetown's social hub, the country club heightens the neighborhood's strong sense of cohesiveness; many residents feel that Georgetown is one of the most sociable neighborhoods in Ann Arbor.

The ranch houses in the Pine Valley neighborhood northeast of the Georgetown shopping center are priced from \$150,000 to \$185,000. Georgetown's homes, to the southwest, are somewhat larger and sell for \$160,000-\$200,000. The 164-unit Pine Valley apartments and townhouses and the 168-unit Spruce Knob apartments are also located in this neighborhood.

Schools are Pattengill and Bryant elementaries, Tappan Middle School, and Pioneer High. This area lies in the Fourth Ward.

### 43 & 44: PATTENGILL/ST. FRANCIS & KIMBERLY HILLS

South of Stadium and east of Packard, on what was once prime farmland, are a number of neighborhoods built shortly after World War II and on into the 1950s, 1960s, and later.

The Pattengill/St. Francis neighborhood is fairly evenly divided between home owners and renters in the large Arbor Hills and Ann Arbor Woods apartments. The older and smaller bi-level and ranch houses in Ann Arbor Woods start at \$145,000, with newer homes selling for as much as \$300,000. The Nature Cove condominiums are located off St. Francis Street.

Kimberly Hills is less than one-quarter rental housing. New and old houses of varying architecture occupy tree-lined streets. Older homes are in the \$160,000-\$260,000 price range. This area is home also to a 134-unit upscale apartment complex, the Ponds at Georgetown, on Packard across from the Georgetown shopping center. To the east is Hearstone, a 65-unit subdivision still under development off Gladstone; homes there run from about \$200,000 to \$280,000. Farther east, the new Woods of Ann Arbor, a 28-unit luxury condo, sold quickly.

Both neighborhoods are located within the Third Ward. Schools are Bryant and Pattengill elementaries, Tappan Middle School, and Pioneer High (children living on Manchester and Colony attend Allen Elementary and Huron High).

### 45: ALLEN SCHOOL/BUHR PARK

This neighborhood is bounded by Packard on the south, Platt Road and Huron Parkway on the east, Washtenaw to the north, and Manchester to the west. It is the home of Buhr Park, with its much-used swimming pool and ice rink, and Cobblestone Farm.

Houses range from tiny, brick-trimmed frame ranches built after World War II on Easy Street and environs (\$110,000-\$135,000) to large colonials and tri-levels built in the 1960s that can sell for as much as \$160,000. Mallett's Wood, a new subdivision, currently is under construction just off Packard near Platt. Prices start at \$149,900.

The Allen School/Buhr Park neighborhood lies in the Third Ward. Families are numerous. Schools are Allen Elementary and Huron High. Students in this neighborhood may choose Scarlett or Tappan middle schools.

### 46: FORESTBROOKE/PITTSFIELD VILLAGE

This heavily settled neighborhood is bordered by Huron Parkway and Platt on the west and Packard on the south. The northern Washtenaw Avenue border is packed with commercial businesses, with US-23 marking the eastern edge.

The 422-unit Village townhome complex occupies much of this neighborhood. The Village was laid out in 1943 as Pittsfield Village, a model rural apartment community with winding streets and sweeping park-like yard spaces.

The complex was renamed when it was modernized, and converted to owner occupancy in the late 1980s (though the city's list of neighborhood names still retains the older usage). One- and two-bedroom Village units currently sell in the \$55,000-\$70,000 range.

West of Pittsfield on the streets between Platt and Parkwood is the Darlington subdivision. Small starter homes (Cape Cods, ranches, colonials), some of them fifty years old, sell in the \$80,000-\$135,000 range. Forestbrooke built in the 1960s east of Pittsfield, has a mixture of ranches, colonials, Cape Cods, and tri-levels going for \$100,000-\$145,000. The many children in the area enjoy a neighborhood pool and swim club.

This neighborhood lies in the Third Ward. Schools are Pittsfield Elementary, Scarlett Middle School, and Huron High.

### 47 & 48: BROWN PARK & SCARLETT/MITCHELL

Young families find this area on the far south east side of town, just north of I-94, appealing. The prices are right, and shopping and schools are nearby. The area is also home to the city's only mobile home community, tiny Sunnyside Park. Small three-bedroom ranches in both areas, built in the 1950s and 1960s, range in price from \$80,000 to \$120,000. A few two-story colonials in the Scarlett/Mitchell area, built in the 1960s, cost between \$80,000 and \$140,000.

The Brown Park area includes the 281-unit Mill Creek Townhouses on Birch Hollow east of Stone School Road, and the 112-unit Homestead Commons apartments off Eisenhower near Packard Road. However, Scarlett/Mitchell's home ownership is rising fast as buyers snap up bargain-priced homes (\$130,000-\$165,000) in the 210-home Turnberry subdivision on Packard Road just west of US-23.

In the Scarlett/Mitchell area, the Colonial Square Cooperative, on Wolverine and Williamsburg off Platt Road, offers rental townhouse units that are shared by both professionals and blue-collar workers. Colonial Square has a higher initial member buy-in fee than most other co-ops in town, but it also has the lowest rents. With one-bedroom units renting for just over \$200, it's no surprise that this close-knit co-op has a long waiting list.

Scarlett/Mitchell and Brown Park are both located within Ward Three. Both neighborhoods sport large numbers of families and a moderate contingent of children. Schools are Mitchell Elementary, Scarlett Middle School, and Huron and Pioneer high schools.

### 49: BRYANT

The Bryant neighborhood, just off Ellsworth and Stone School roads, is built on open and slightly rolling terrain, with young trees taking hold on many of the streets. The neighborhood is almost entirely made up of the Arbor Oaks subdivision along Champagne off Stone School Road and the Forest Hills and University Townhouses co-ops that sit north of Ellsworth Road between Stone School and Platt roads. All three developments were built in the late 1960s and early 1970s as federally supported low-cost housing. Arbor Oaks houses are small two- and three-bedroom ranches most without basements, that sell for \$49,000-\$73,000, making them the least expensive single-family homes in the city.

The Bryant neighborhood lies in the Third Ward. Schools are Bryant and Pattengill elementaries (University Townhouses children are bused to Allen Elementary), Tappan Middle School, and Pioneer High.

### 50: RESEARCH PARK/PHEASANT RUN

The Research Park/Pheasant Run neighborhood lies across Stone School Road from the Bryant neighborhood. It is an intensely residential and commercial-oriented area, with a single residential complex. The 472-unit Pheasant Run apartments, just south of I-94, house all of the neighborhood's residents.



schools are Bryant and Pattengill elementaries, Tappan Middle School, and Pioneer High. Research Park/Pheasant Run is located in the Fourth Ward.

1: (SEE 40)

## 2: ABBOT SCHOOL

This neighborhood lies on the far west side of town in the V-shaped area formed where M-14 and I-94 converge; Maple Road is its eastern edge. It includes the north end of the Stadium/Maple commercial strip, older homes south of Dexter Road, and the Hollywood Park subdivision to the north.

In Hollywood Park, off Maple along Hollywood and Sequoia Parkway, most of the houses are single-family two-story colonials, Cape Cods, ranches, and tri-levels, costing between \$115,000 and \$160,000. Farther west, out Dexter Road, houses come in a variety of ages and styles and sell for \$95,000-\$150,000. South of Dexter Road just east of I-94 is the 168-unit Arbor Landings apartment complex. The Kelly Green condominiums are on Miller Road between Maple and M-14.

This neighborhood lies within the Fifth Ward. Schools are Abbot Elementary, Forsythe Middle School, and Pioneer High.

## THE SUBURBS

Faced with Ann Arbor's high property taxes and scarcity of vacant land, it's a no-brainer for many would-be home buyers to look to the surrounding townships. As a result, pastoral farmlands are being transformed swiftly into single-family homes and condominiums. Township planners struggle to satisfy longtime residents who fear the loss of their peaceful, rural community while responding to landowners' desires to make a buck meeting the demand for more housing outside the city. Each township has taken a slightly different approach, but all face the same questions of how to support more and more people on the rustic infrastructure of a decade or more ago. This section covers only those areas outside the city that are served by the Ann Arbor Post Office or the Ann Arbor Public Schools.

### ANN ARBOR TOWNSHIP/ BARTON HILLS

Barton Hills is legally a village, but its streets and shared facilities are owned by a private home owners' association. As a result, access to Barton Hills is restricted to residents and their guests: large signs at the village entrance on Whitmore Lake Road announce "no thoroughfare." Membership in the exclusive Barton Hills Country Club is limited only by ability to pay. A social membership, without golf privileges, requires a short wait, while those seeking full residential membership may wait up to eighteen months.

Most of the village's first homes, often of English Tudor or cottage style, were constructed during the 1930s. Architect-designed showpieces followed in the 1950s and 1960s. These homes rarely come on the market.

Once the most exclusive and expensive community in the Ann Arbor area, Barton Hills could lose that distinction to some of the newer developments on the east and south side of the township. Off Geddes Road, private drives wind away to the carefully isolated riverfront retreats of the wealthy. The elegant Towsley Farms and Geddes Glen developments offer homes in the \$500,000-\$900,000 range. Farther north, off Gale Road, is the retreat-like Matthaei Farm community, with custom-built homes from \$350,000-\$655,000. At the southeast corner of Cherry Hill and Plymouth, homes in the 340-acre Glennborough Development are in the \$500,000-\$1 million range.

To the north, Dhu Varren Road is developing swiftly. On the south side of the street, Dhu Varren on the Park is offering sites for homes starting at \$197,000.

Northeast of the city, expensive homes are thinly scattered on large, semirural lots. That low-density development seems to suit existing residents just fine, but it's by no means clear that they can indefinitely resist pressures for more intense settlement, given their proximity to freeway access and the burgeoning western Wayne County suburbs of Detroit. There are three huge office parks on Plymouth Road west of Dixboro: the Ann Arbor Technology Park, the U-M's Northeast Medical Complex, and Domino's Farms, the sprawling, Frank Lloyd Wright-influenced headquarters of Domino's Pizza. Development of expensive single-family homes remains very active in this area; Parkview Estates and Ayrshire Estates here are priced starting at \$320,000.

The 100-home Tanglewood community is located near the split between Plymouth and Ford roads. Multistory contemporary dwellings sell in the \$325,000-\$450,000 range. The nearby hamlet of Dixboro has a small core of historic homes; they rarely come on the market, but one that did in 1997 sold for almost \$160,000. Smaller and newer Cape Cods on Dixboro's side streets sell for about \$115,000. At the southwest corner of Dixboro and Plymouth roads, the final homes of Phase II of the Fleming Creek subdivision sell for \$190,000 and up.

South of the tech park on Dixboro Road are three major residential developments. Laurel Gardens is a luxury condo development with semidetached one- and two-story units in several different sizes. Farther south, near the intersection of Dixboro and Geddes roads, are the Arbors condominium project and the large Village Green luxury apartment complex.

Schools for this area are Logan and King elementaries, Clague Middle School, and Huron High.

### NORTHFIELD TOWNSHIP/ WEBSTER TOWNSHIP

Despite their close proximity to Ann Arbor, Northfield and Webster townships north and west of Barton Hills have long resisted development. But as the northern reaches of the city fill in, back roads here are increasingly dotted with large new homes. Older housing here for the most part is limited to farmhouses. Only a small number of these are in the Ann Arbor School District, and they tend to turn over quickly when they do become available.

Schools for the northern townships are Wines Elementary, Forsythe Middle School, and Pioneer High.

### PITTSFIELD AND LODI TOWNSHIPS

Of all of Ann Arbor's neighbors, Pittsfield Township, to the south, seems most ready to face the growth spurt head-on. Pittsfield's beautiful, newly dedicated township offices on Michigan Avenue, just west of Platt, are clearly built to accommodate growth. The sign in front announces, "This building is mortgage free and debt free," suggesting that the township has been looking ahead for a while now.

South of I-94, State has been sprouting office buildings for some time, while the Ann Arbor-Saline Road and I-94 intersection has become a major retail area. South of I-94 off Oak Valley Drive, a meandering road connecting Scio Church and Ellsworth roads, lie the Oak Meadows and Weatherstone condominiums and the sizable colonial homes of the Briar Hill subdivision, which run from \$200,000 to \$425,000. South of Ann Arbor-Saline Road and east of Maple, the Hills of Lake Forest offer homes from \$265,000-\$450,000. Homes in the Lake Forest Highlander area on the north side of Ellsworth range from \$210,000 to \$285,000. The Valley Ranch apartments farther east on Oak Valley are now joined by Valley Ranch Condominiums.

South on Lohr, past Ellsworth, is the enormous new Stonebridge golf course and housing development. Plans call for 711 detached condominiums and single-family homes in this one-square-mile area. Many of the sites back up to the golf course. Construction started in

1991 and is scheduled to continue through 1998. Arbor Creek and Boulder Ridge are off Waters Road west of Ann Arbor-Saline Road, and more major projects are in the works between Ann Arbor and Saline.

Parts of Pittsfield Township and neighboring Lodi Township are served by Ann Arbor schools—and the new growth there is putting strains on the system. The schools are studying a major redistricting in this area that would shift many children to different schools. Currently, students who attend Ann Arbor schools and live in Lodi Township or Pittsfield Township west of US-23 are assigned to Lawton, Dicken, and Bryant elementaries, Slauson and Tappan middle schools, and Pioneer High.

East of Platt, Pittsfield Township is rapidly filling in with housing and apartment complexes, mostly modestly priced. This area has become a sort of bedroom community for an increasingly hard-to-afford Ann Arbor, as well as Ypsilanti and points east. Saline Meadows, on Michigan Avenue east of US-23, is a 148-lot manufactured home community for home owners on a tight budget. Homes sell for \$35,000-\$50,000 and lots rent for \$265-\$285 a month. The older 122-lot Coachville trailer park is located on Carpenter Road just south of Packard with homes from \$8,000 to \$13,000 and lots renting for \$247. Both parks have a fairly high turnover rate, making lots available on a regular basis.

The Silverleaf subdivision near Golfside and Ellsworth roads is composed mostly of two-story homes. Prices range from \$130,000 to \$250,000. Homes along Golfside Road overlook the Washtenaw Country Club golf course. The University Palisades subdivision off Ellsworth between Carpenter and Golfside roads offers ranches, colonials, and split-colonials, priced from about \$180,000 to \$210,000.

The Carpenter School neighborhood, between Washtenaw Avenue and Packard Road east of Carpenter Road, was one of the first parts of this area to be built up after World War II. The homes are mostly small frame structures and ranches that sell for \$90,000-\$125,000. Farther south and east are smaller new developments and many apartment buildings.

Elementary schoolchildren are bused to Carpenter, Angell, Mitchell, Allen, and Pittsfield schools. The middle school is Scarlett, and the high school is Huron.

### SCIO TOWNSHIP

The building boom west of Ann Arbor has centered around Scio Township's main corridor, Jackson Road. The old highway has become a welcoming boulevard since extensive roadwork was completed in summer 1997. North of Jackson, the River Pines and Timberwood subdivisions off Huron River Drive near Wagner include many \$300,000 homes. Away from the river, Parkridge Estates off Wagner Road north of Miller includes homes in the same price range. South of Miller on Wagner, homes in the new Scio Hills development sell for \$225,000-\$290,000.

Older semirural subdivisions and individual houses are clustered on or near Dexter and Miller roads. These mostly date from the 1970s and come in a wide variety of sizes, styles, and prices.

Scio's southern half is less thickly settled. Small- to mid-sized developments such as SommerSet, with twelve site condos, and Hunter's Crossing, with twenty homes, are quickly filling in the area around Zeeb and Park. The Uplands of Scio Ridge, off Scio Church Road, includes homes from \$230,000 to about \$325,000. Two more major projects, Saginaw Hills, on Liberty Road west of Wagner Road, and the Polo Fields, off Park Road near Zeeb, join Country Pines Estates, Arbor Pointe, and the Woods of Park Road. Farther out, Scio's still-numerous dirt roads are dotted with individual country houses, large and small. Those areas soon will be served by Scio Town Center, a new shopping strip now under construction on Zeeb behind Wendy's. A Busch's Valu Land supermarket and a drug-



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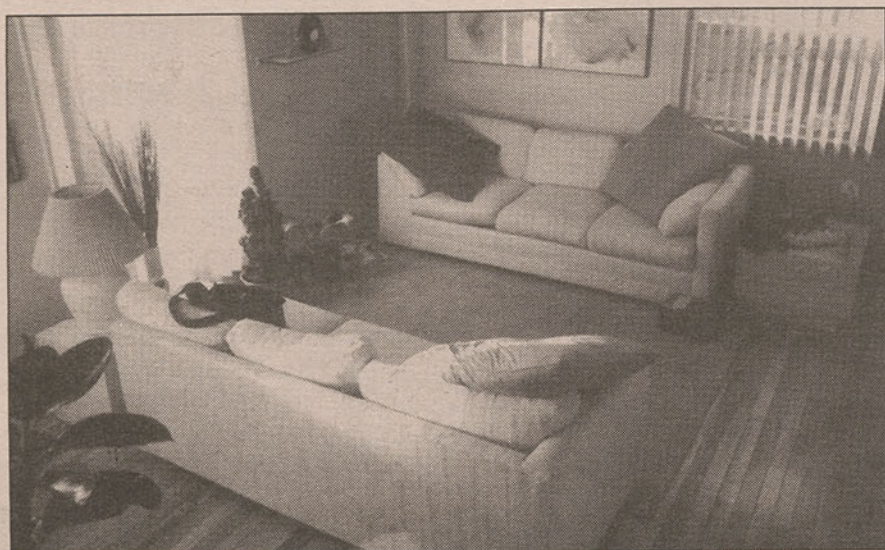
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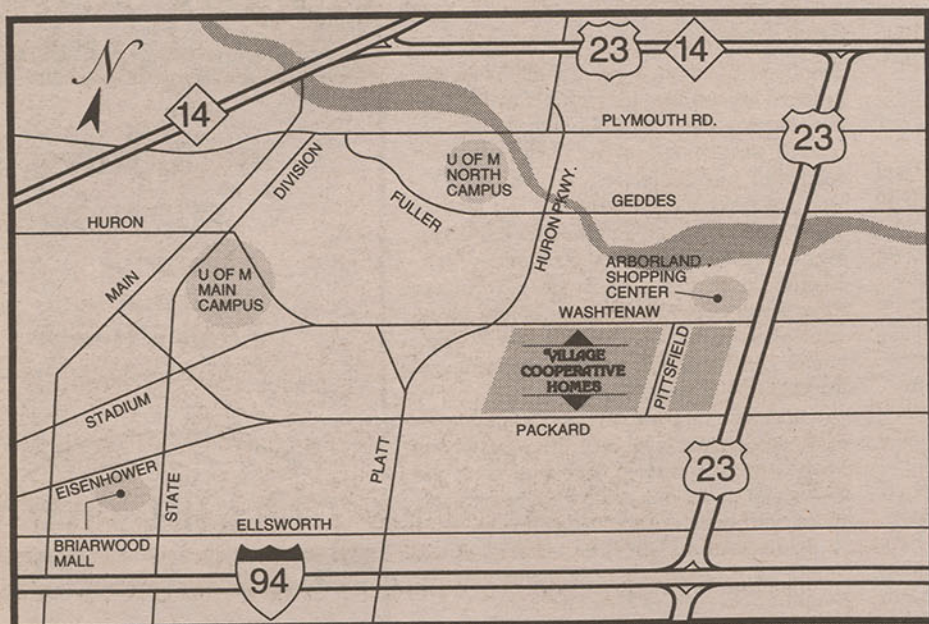


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Some small older neighborhoods line Jackson Road, interspersed with small shopping centers and light industrial buildings. A major reservoir of affordable housing is Scio Farms Estates, a manufactured home community off Jackson Road. With the recent addition of 60 units, there are more than 900 homes in Scio Farms, and residents account for 25 percent of the township's population. Homes resell at \$35,000–\$65,000, and lot rents start at \$287 a month.

Elementary schools for northern Scio Township are Abbot and Wines; students living south of I-94 attend Lawton. Middle schools are Forsythe and Slauson, and the high school is Pioneer.

## APARTMENTS

Rents and amenities at 113 apartment complexes. Only complexes with more than 20 units that are served by the Ann Arbor Post Office or the Ann Arbor Public Schools are listed. Complexes are grouped by location: central or outer Ann Arbor (see map p. 65). The central area is considered to be within walking distance of either downtown or one of the three U-M campuses.

Rents are current as of mid-1997. Year of construction and furnished (F) and unfurnished (U) units are noted when the information is available. Apartment complexes that allow pets are noted. Landlords often charge an additional fee for pets, in the form of either a security deposit or a monthly surcharge.

To locate a complex on this map, use the number and coordinates at the end of each listing. For example, the note 1, D5 at the end of the listing for the Ann Arbor YMCA indicates that the "Y" is number 1 on the map and is located at the intersection of column D and row 5.

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**Ann Arbor YMCA**, 350 S. Fifth Ave. 663-0536. 100 units: males, four floors; females, one floor. Dorm-style baths. No children under 18. \$92.50 weekly, \$325 monthly. All rooms single occupancy. 1, D5

**Arbor Valley Apartments**, 1550 Plymouth. 668-6686. Metro Property Services. 21 units. One & two bedrooms (U): \$525–\$700, includes heat and water. No pets. Shared laundry. 2, E3

**Baker Commons**, 106 Packard. 994-2828. Ann Arbor Housing Commission. 64 units for senior and disabled citizens, built 1982. One bedroom (U): 30 percent of income, heat included. Pets allowed with permission of manager. 3, D5

**Bel-Air Apartments**, 813-819 S. Main. 662-4446. Issa Properties. 22 units, built 1967. One & two bedrooms (F): \$525–\$725, includes heat and water. Cats allowed. 4, D5

**Bradford House**, 1010 Catherine. 662-5500. Michigan Realty Management. 36 units, built 1967. Efficiency and one & two bedrooms (U & F): \$545–\$995 (F, add \$30), includes heat, water, and parking. No pets. 5, E4

**Broadview Apartments**, 1723 Broadview. 665-6107. TPG Management. 84 units, built 1969. One & two bedrooms (U): \$590–\$800, includes water. Cats allowed. 6, E3

**Brookside Apartments**, 1516 Plymouth. 668-8367. Greenspan Brothers Management. 72 units, built 1965. Efficiency and one & two bedrooms (U): \$520–\$670, includes heat, water, draperies. Units have patios or balconies. Laundry, storage, and assigned parking. No cats or dogs. Fax: 668-7508. 7, E3

**Carriage House Apartments**, 1224 Washtenaw Ct. 741-9300. CMB Property Management. 22 units. One to three bedrooms (F): \$820–\$1,664, includes heat, water, and parking. Bi-level apartments available. No pets. 8, E5

**Colony Apartments**, 731 Packard. 663-3050. Amvest Property Management. 40 units, built 1971. One bedroom (F): \$575–\$590, includes water and parking. No pets. 9, E5

**Courthouse Square Apartments**, 100 S. Fourth Ave. 995-5511. Lansing Management. Renovated 1996. 116 one-bedroom units for seniors (55 and older), \$486–\$709. Income restrictions apply: max. for one person, \$24,420, for two, \$27,900. 10, D4

**The Crossings of Michigan**, 560 Kellogg. 761-8481. Michigan Condominium Corp. 64 units, built 1965. One & two bedrooms (U): \$600–\$650, includes water. Cats allowed. 11, D3

**Edinburgh Apartments**, 912 Brown. 662-4446. Issa Properties. 23 units, built 1967. Two bedrooms (F): \$675–\$695, includes heat and water. Cats allowed. 12, D5

**Forest Place Apartments**, 721 S. Forest. 761-8000. Prime Student Housing. 50 units. One & two bedrooms (F): \$710–\$1,195, includes heat, water, and parking. No pets. 13, E5

**Forest Plaza Apartments**, 715 S. Forest. 663-4101. Campus Management, Inc. 58 units, built 1920. Efficiency, studio, & one bedroom (U): \$460–\$700, includes all utilities. Cats allowed. 14, E5

**Forest Terrace Apartments**, 1001 S. Forest. 668-1100. Varsity Management. 30 units. Two bedrooms (F): \$900–\$980, includes heat and water. No pets. 15, E5

**The Forum**, 726 S. State. 761-8000. Prime Student Housing. 21 units. Efficiency & one to three bedrooms (F): \$520–\$1,500, includes heat, water, and parking. Bi-level units available. No pets. 16, D5

**Fuller Apartments**, 800-802 Fuller. 769-7520. Dr. Jong Soo Park. 42 units, built 1967. One & two bedrooms (F & U): \$580–\$760, includes heat, water, and parking. No dogs; cats in some units. 17, E4

**Geddes Hill Apartments**, 1700 Geddes. 741-9300. CMB Management. 62 units. Two bedrooms (F): \$1,200, includes heat, water, and parking. Bi-level units available. No pets. 18, E5

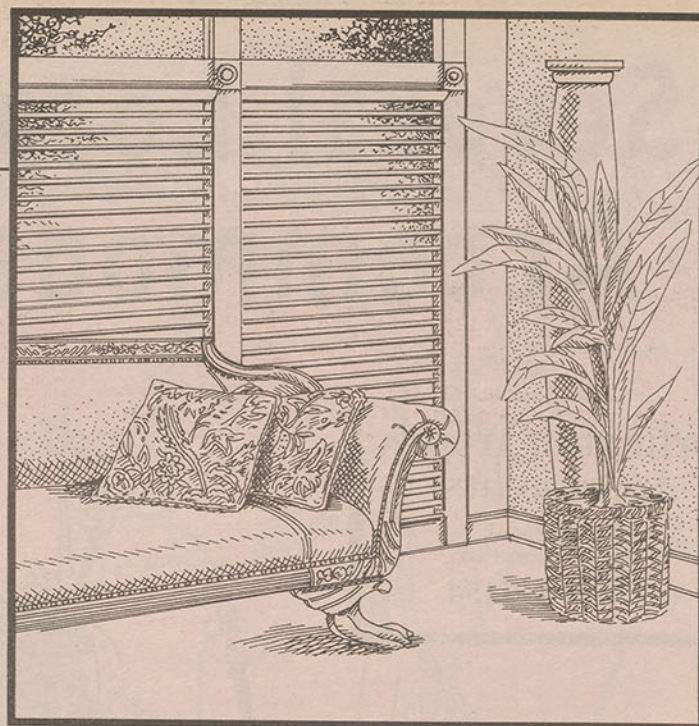
**Heritage House Apartments**, 829 Tappan. 761-3920. 28 units. Two bedrooms (F): \$1,100–\$1,250, includes heat and water. No pets. 19, E5

**The Highlands Apartments**, 1687 Broadway. 769-3672. Burton-Share, Inc. 130 units, built 1971. One & two bedrooms (U): \$595–\$745, includes water. No pets. Laundry facilities, pool, basketball court, picnic area. 20, E3

**Hoover Post Apartments**, 125 W. Hoover. 761-8220. Post Realty. 30 units, built 1960. One bedroom (F & U): \$585–\$635, includes heat, water, and parking. No pets. 21, D5

**Huron River Plaza Apartments**, 2232 Fuller Ct. 996-4992. Chudnow Properties. 36 units. One & two bedrooms (U): \$555–\$685, includes heat and water. Cats allowed. 22, F4

**Huron Towers**, 2200 Fuller Ct. 665-9161. 360 units, built 1961. Efficiency & one to three bedrooms (U): \$580–\$1,240, includes heat and water. Also, furnished executive suites for \$1,200. No pets. High-rise with balconies. Gro-



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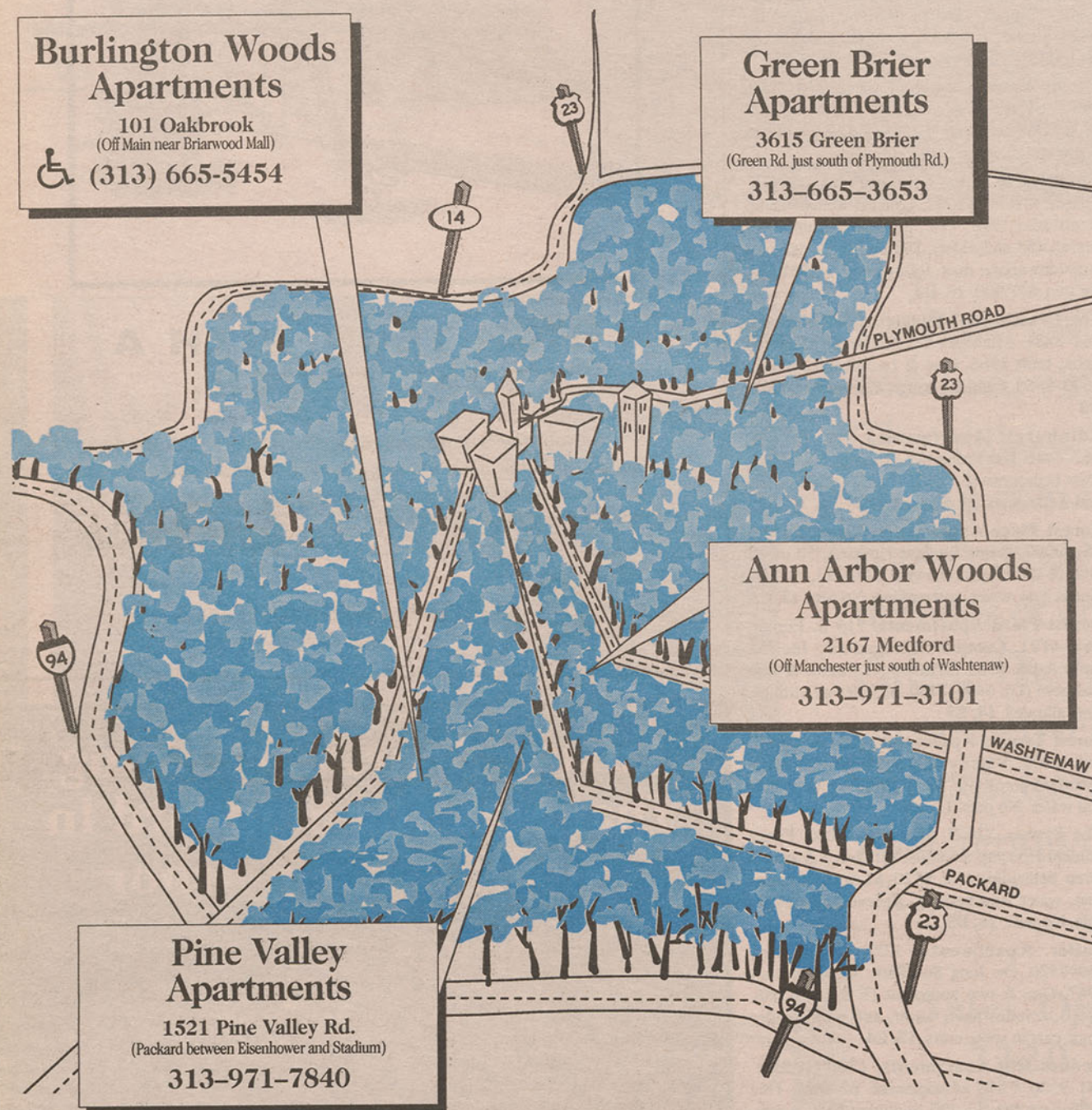
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**Island Drive Apartments**, 1099 Maiden Ln. 665-4331. Frankel Management. 348 units, built 1962. Efficiency & one to three bedrooms (U): \$530-\$895, includes heat, cooking gas, and water. Cats allowed. Pool. 24, E4

**Kingsley Post Apartments**, 809 E. Kingsley. 668-2913, 429-3222. Helen Pappas. 37 units, built 1930s. 1 two-bedroom & 36 one-bedroom units (F): \$600-\$780, includes heat and water. No pets. 25, E4

**Madison Apartments**, 316 & 320 E. Madison and 609 S. Fifth Avenue. 663-3050. Amvest Property Management. 31 units, built 1971. Two bedrooms (F): \$775-\$950, includes heat, water, and parking. No pets. 26, D5

**Maynard House**, 400 Maynard. 665-4400. Post Realty. 72 units, built 1962. Efficiency & one bedroom (F): \$635-\$825, includes heat, water, and air-conditioning. Short-term executive suites available. High-rise. No pets. 27, D5

**McKinley Terrace**, 824 McKinley. 741-9300. CMB Management. 22 units. One & two bedrooms (F): \$635-\$955, includes heat, water, and parking. No pets. 28, E5

**Medical Center Court Apartments**, 1000 Maiden Ln. 662-2950. McKinley Properties. 201 units, built 1967. Efficiency and one & two bedrooms (U): \$630-\$830, includes heat, water, and parking. On-site fitness room and study lounge. Locked intercom entryways. Pets up to 20 lbs. allowed. 29, E4

**Nob Hill Apartments**, 301 Nob Hill, Suite 668-8888. Wilson White Co. 204 units, built 1950. Efficiency (F) and one & two bedrooms (U): \$539-\$800; one & two bedrooms include water, efficiencies include all utilities. Cats allowed. 30, D5

**520 Packard Apartments**, 520 Packard. 761-8000. Prime Student Housing. 23 units. One & two bedrooms (F): \$850-\$925, includes heat, water, and parking. No pets. 31, D5

**Parc Pointe Apartments**, 1901 Pointe Ln. 769-1450. Amurcon Corp. 160 units, built 1986. One & two bedrooms (U): \$650-\$880, includes cold water, carport. Dogs under 25 lbs. allowed in two-bedroom units. Vaulted ceilings and fireplaces in some units, washer and dryer hook-ups. Pool, tennis court, Jacuzzi, clubhouse, exercise room. 32, F3

**Park Plaza**, 1320 South University. 761-8000. Prime Student Housing. 36 units. One to three bedrooms (F): \$735-\$1,520, includes heat, water, and parking. No pets. 33, E5

**Park Terrace Apartments**, 848 Tappan. 668-1100. Varsity Management. 21 units. One & three bedrooms (F): \$675-\$1,250, includes heat, water, and underground parking. No pets. 34, E5

**Shoreview Apartments**, 420 Kellogg. 761-3404. First Holding Corp. 128 units, built 1969. One & two bedrooms (U): \$580-\$730, includes heat and water. No pets. 35, D3

**Thompson Street Apartments**, 350 Thompson. 741-9300. CMB Management. 44 units. Efficiency & one to three bedrooms (F): \$505-\$1,180, includes water. No pets. 36, D6

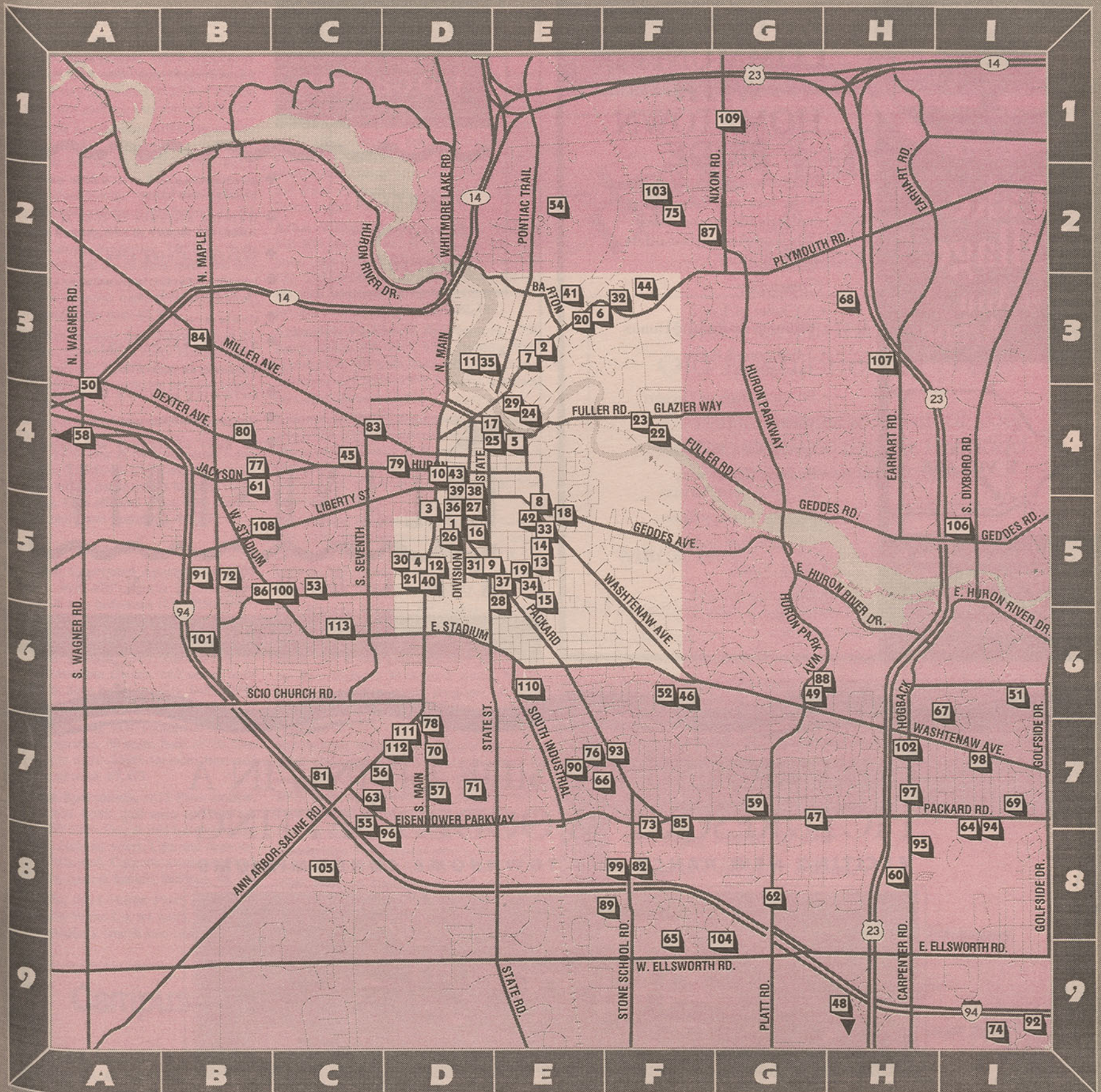
**Tiffany Apartments**, 736 Packard. 663-3050. Amvest Property Management. 22 units, built 1971. Efficiency & one bedroom (F): \$540-\$575, includes water and parking. No pets. 37, E5

**Tower Plaza Apartments**, 555 E. William. 663-1530. Triad Management Co. 296 units, built 1969. Efficiency & one bedroom (F): \$650-\$1,000, includes heat, water, and parking. No pets. 38, D4

**Town and Campus Apartments**, 301 Thompson. 995-9200. Wilson White Co.



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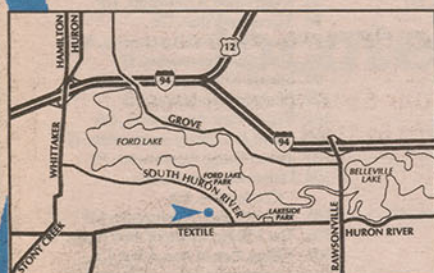
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**Tradewinds Apartments**, 121 E. Hoover at 921 S. Main. 662-4446. Issa Properties. 32 units. One & two bedrooms (F): \$500-\$750, includes water and parking. Cats allowed. 40, D5

**Traver Knoll Apartments**, 1984 Traver Rd., Apt. 102. 663-8463. Snyder Management. 216 units. One & two bedrooms (U): \$580-\$815, includes heat and water. Patios, balconies, pool, individual storage rooms, dishwashers, security intercom system. Cats allowed. 41, E3

**University Towers**, 536 S. Forest. 761-2680. Suburban Campus Properties. 240 units, built 1964. Efficiency & one to three bedrooms (F): \$625-\$935, includes heat and water. Study lounge, pool, exercise, computer, game rooms, 24-hour laundry. No pets. 42, E5

**Washington Manor Apartments**, 418 E. Washington. 668-1100. Varsity Management. 30 units, built 1967. Efficiency & one bedroom (F): \$550-\$750, includes heat and water. No pets. 43, D4

**Willowtree Apartments**, 1819 Willowtree. 769-1313. Hall Financial Group. 476 units, built 1972-1979. One & two bedrooms, 5 studios, 2 lofts (U): \$540-\$830, includes water (heat and cooking gas included in some units) and parking. Cats allowed. Pool, lake, tennis, clubhouse, half-court basketball. 44, F3

## OUTER ANN ARBOR

**Allen Creek Courtyard Apartments**, 1000 W. Huron. 998-4789. Linda Y. Jones. 28 units. One & two bedrooms (U): \$550-\$685, includes heat, water, and parking. Pets allowed. 45, C4

**Ann Arbor Woods**, 2167 Medford. 971-3101. Fourmidable Group. 262 units, built 1965. One to three bedrooms (U): \$485-\$890, includes heat and water. No pets. 46, F6

**Arbor Apartments**, 3310 Packard. 973-7368. Allmand Properties. 40 units, built 1970s. One bedroom (U): \$550-\$590, includes heat and water. Cats allowed. 47, G7

**Arbor Glen Apartments**, 5825 Plum Hollow, Ypsilanti. 434-6650. 220 units (private entrances), built 1989. One & two bedrooms (U): \$600-\$860, includes water. Cats and dogs under 25 lbs. allowed. Carports available. Pool, weight room, Jacuzzi, laundry facilities. 48, H9

**Arbor Hills**, 2011 Huron Pkwy., #6. 973-1616. Wilson White Co. 84 units, built 1967 (newly remodeled). One & two bedrooms (U):

\$581-\$677, includes heat and water. Cats allowed. Pool and covered parking. 49, G6

**Arbor Landings**, 545 Landings Blvd. 761-9040. Associated Estates. 168 units, built 1989. One & two bedrooms (U): \$715-\$1,015, includes water. Up to two cats allowed (with security deposit). Pool, tennis, track, Jacuzzi, sauna, clubhouse, playground. 50, A4

**Arbor Pointe Apartments**, off Clark Road, across from Washtenaw Community College. Mailing address: P.O. Box 3490, AA 48106. 434-9800. Concord Management. 280 units, built 1997. One to three bedrooms (U): \$583-\$799, includes water. Private entryways, dishwasher, central air-conditioning, washer and dryer optional. Clubhouse, pool, 24-hour fitness center. No pets. 51, I6

**Arbor Village Apartments**, 2021 Medford Rd. 971-8670. Paul H. Johnson, Inc. 238 units, built 1965-1967. One to three bedrooms (U): \$560-\$990, includes heat, water, and cable. One neutered and declawed cat allowed per unit (with security deposit). 52, F6

**Arbordale-Parkhurst Apartments**, 1500 Pauline Blvd. 995-1800. Nam Building Management Co. 102 units, built 1957. One & two bedrooms (U): \$435-\$565, includes water and heat. Cats allowed. 53, C5

**Arrowwood Hills Cooperative**, 2566 Arrowwood. 665-3116. Member-owned (buy-in fee). 350 townhouse units, built 1969. One to four bedrooms (U): \$305-\$400, includes water. Waiting list of one year to 18 months. Pets welcome. 54, E2

**Briar Cove Apartments**, 650 Waymarket. 995-3300. Oakland Management. 272 units, built 1991. One to three bedrooms (F & U): \$789-\$1,289, includes water. One pet per apartment. Tennis, pool, exercise facility. 55, C7

**Brookhaven Manor**, 401 Oakbrook. 747-8800. Fourmidable Group. 140 units, built 1989. Luxury full-service apartments for seniors. One & two bedrooms (U): \$1,575 and up. Rent includes 30 meals a month, housekeeping, utilities, social program, 24-hour emergency alert system, wellness and fitness programs. 56, C7

**Burlington Woods**, 101 Oakbrook. 665-5454. Fourmidable Group. 76 apartments, 32 townhouses, built 1987. Two bedrooms (U): \$805-\$860; townhouses \$900, includes water. Pets up to 60 lbs. allowed. Washer/dryer and fireplace in every unit. Pool, playground. 57, D7

**Cambridge Club Apartments**, 5501 Cambridge Club (south of I-94 off Zeeb). 930-0040. ProCapp Management. 108 units, built 1990. One & two bedrooms (U): \$659-\$849, includes water. Neutered and declawed cats allowed in some units (\$25 monthly fee). Wash-

## Campus Rental Information

**U-M Housing Information Office**, 1011 Student Activities Bldg., Maynard at Jefferson. 763-3164. Web: [www.housing.umich.edu](http://www.housing.umich.edu) E-mail: [housing@umich.edu](mailto:housing@umich.edu)

**Amvest Property Management**, 663-3050.

**Ann Arbor Realty**, 663-7444.

**Arbor Properties**, 994-3157.

**CMB**, 741-9300.

**Campus Management, Inc.**, 663-4101.

**Campus Rentals Ltd.**, 665-8825.

**Issa Properties**, 662-4446.

**Management of Michigan**, 996-9300.

**McKinley Properties**, 769-8520.

**Michigan Realty Management**, 662-5500.

**Oakland Management**, 761-7491.

**Old Town Realty**, 663-8989.

**Oppenheimer Properties, Inc.**, 995-5575.

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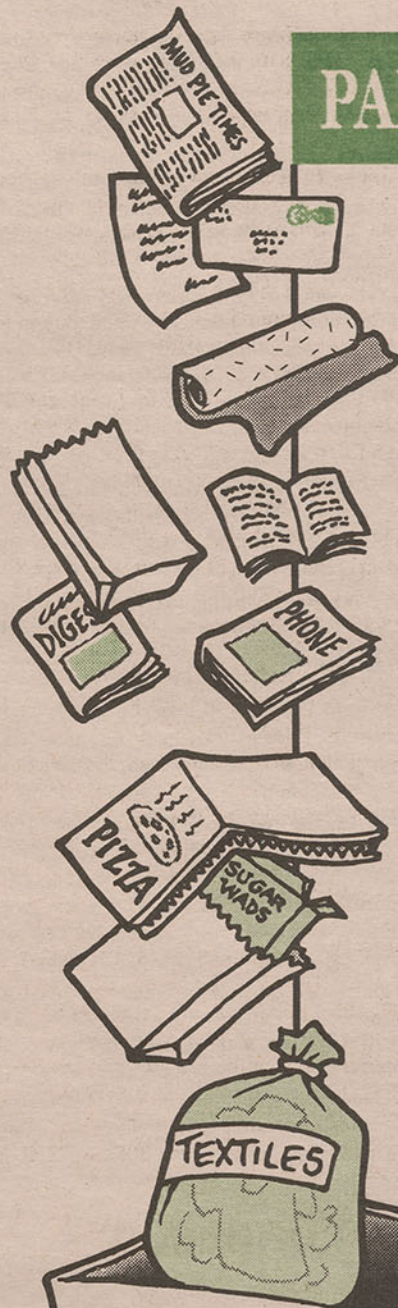
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# HOUSING

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**Carleton Court Apartments**, 2976 Cascade. 971-9180. Cardinal Industries. 104 units, built 1984. Efficiency (F) and one & two bedrooms (U): \$464-\$647, includes water. Ask about specials. Pets under 20 lbs. allowed. Patio, washer/dryer hookups, attic storage. **59, G7**

**Carpenter Place**, 3400 Carpenter. 973-8377. Fourmidable Group. 150 units. One bedroom (U): 30 percent of income, includes heat and water. Seniors, disabled, and handicapped only. Dogs and cats allowed. **60, H8**

**Charlton Apartments**, 2043 Charlton. 761-2152. First Holding Corp. 75 units, built 1967. One & two bedrooms (U): \$515-\$675, includes water for all units and heat for some units. Neutered and declawed cats allowed. **61, B4**

**Colonial Square Cooperative**, 3012 Williamsburg. 971-5710. Member-owned (buy-in fee averages \$5,000). 427 townhouse units, built 1965. One to four bedrooms (U): \$243-\$371. Pets allowed. Time on waiting list two years (for two bedrooms) and up. **62, G8**

**Cranbrook Tower**, 2901 Northbrook. 668-8914. Fourmidable Group. 200 units, built 1979. One & two bedrooms (U): 30 percent of income (HUD Section 8), includes utilities (government assisted). Seniors, disabled, and handicapped only. Pets allowed. **63, C7**

**Evergreen Pointe Apartments**, 3089 Woodland Hills. 971-2132. McKinley Properties. 477 units, built 1968. One to three bedrooms (U): \$479-\$705, includes heat and water. Cats and dogs allowed. Pool, in-line skating area, volleyball court. **64, I7**

**Forest Hills Cooperative Townhouses**, 2351 Shadowood. 971-9270. Member-owned (buy-in fee: \$3,640-\$4,420). 306 units, built 1971. One to three bedrooms (U): \$324-\$494, includes heat and water. Pets welcome. **65, F8**

**Georgetown Townhomes**, 2800 Page Ave. 971-5057. Wilson White Co. 82 units. Two & three bedrooms (U): \$997-\$1,257, includes water. Full basements, washer and dryer hook-ups, carports (\$25/month fee). Cats allowed. **66, F7**

**Glencoe Hills Apartments**, 2201 Glencoe Hills. 971-5455. McKinley Properties. 584 units, built 1973. One to three bedrooms (U): \$595-\$985, includes water. Cats and dogs allowed. Pools, tennis, sand volleyball, saunas, exercise and billiard rooms. **67, I6**

**Greenbrier Apartments**, 3615 Greenbrier. 665-3653. Fourmidable Group. 501 units, built 1966. Efficiency and one & two bedrooms (U): \$520-\$735, includes heat and water. No pets. Pool, exercise room, tennis. **68, H3**

**Greenway Park Apartments**, 2756 Golfside, Ypsilanti. 434-2844. Lautrec, Ltd. 136 units, built 1970. One & two bedrooms (U): \$485-\$585, includes water. No dogs. Pool, playground, balconies, laundry facilities. **69, I7**

**Harbor House**, 275 Harbor Way. 741-9550. America First Properties. 208 units, built 1991. Furnished corporate apartments available. One & two bedrooms (U): \$785-\$1,230, includes water. Cats allowed. Fireplaces, whirlpools, microwaves in apartments. Pool, tennis, fitness club. **70, D7**

**Hidden Valley Club Apartments**, 600 Hidden Valley. 761-8910. Equity Residential Management. 324 units. Efficiency and one & two bedrooms (F & U): \$610-\$885, includes heat and water. Two cats allowed per unit. Pool, tennis, volleyball, exercise room, racquetball, and sauna. **71, D7**

**Hillcrest Manor Apartments**, 2005 Commerce (office: 1980 Pauline Blvd.). 761-1897. McKinley Properties. 88 units, built 1967. One & two bedrooms (U): \$610-\$785, includes heat and water. Cats allowed. Pool, 24-hour fitness club. **72, B5**

**Homestead Commons Apartments**, 3103 Homestead Commons. 971-4858. First Martin

Corp. 112 units, built 1986. One to three bedrooms (U): \$590-\$880, includes water. Indoor cats allowed. Drapery, carport, intercom access, children's play area. **73, F7**

**Hunt Club Apartments**, 4685 Hunt Club. 572-0300. NHP Management. 440 units. One & two bedrooms (F & U): \$645-\$875, includes water. Fireplaces, washers and dryers available. Cats and dogs allowed. Weight room, indoor Jacuzzi, pool with Jacuzzi, sauna, tennis, basketball, sand volleyball, racquetball, playground, and car wash area. **74, I9**

**Ironwood Place Apartments**, 2395 Leslie. 994-0644. First Venture Development. 100 units, built 1990. One to three bedrooms (U): \$770-\$1,195, includes water. Cats allowed. Microwave and washer and dryer in each unit. Pool, tennis, exercise room. **75, F2**

**Ivanhoe House Apartments**, 1533 Pine Valley. 971-6810. ACME Investments. 48 units. One & two bedrooms (U): \$570-\$680, includes heat, water, and basic cable. No pets. Pool. **76, E7**

**Jackson West Apartments**, 2041 Jackson. 662-5500. Michigan Realty Management. 60 units, built early 1970s. One & two bedrooms (U): \$540-\$660, includes heat, water, and cooking gas. Cats allowed. **77, B4**

**Lake Village of Ann Arbor**, 101 Lake Village Dr. 662-6440. Cadroy Management. 240 units, built 1997. One to three bedrooms (U): \$775-\$1,425, includes cold water, carport or garage. Bi-level apartments available. Washer and dryer in every unit, fireplaces in some units. Pool, 24-hour clubhouse, fitness and business centers, sauna, massage therapy, putting green. Cats allowed. **78, D7**

**Lurie Terrace**, 600 W. Huron. 665-0695. 142 units, built 1964. Efficiency, flexible, and one & two bedrooms (U): \$209-\$436, includes all utilities. Tenants required to purchase minimum 15-meal contract at \$78.75 per month. Seniors (62 and over) only. Pets allowed in some units (25 lb. limit). **79, D4**

**Mapleridge Apartments**, 2238 Dexter, Apt. 101. 994-6005. Nam Building Management Co. 80 units, built 1957. One & two bedrooms (U): \$500-\$620, includes cooking gas and water. Cats allowed. **80, B4**

**Meadowbrook Village Apartments**, 1550 Brookfield. 761-7700. McKinley Properties. 217 units, built 1985-1986. One & two bedrooms (U): \$775-\$975, includes cold water and basic cable. Some furnished executive units. Pets allowed. Laundry facilities in each unit. Pool, tennis, clubhouse, carports, 24-hour fitness center. Flexible lease terms available. **81, C7**

**Mill Creek Townhouses**, 3050 Birch Hollow. 971-1730. First Martin Corp. 281 units, built 1975. One to three bedrooms (U): \$550-\$850, includes water. Cats welcome. Pool, play area. **82, F8**

**Miller Manor**, 727 Miller. 994-2828. Ann Arbor Housing Commission. 102 units, built 1977. One & two bedrooms (U): rent set at 30 percent of income; water, heat, and electricity included. Seniors, handicapped, and disabled only. Cats, birds, and dogs (under 30 lbs.) allowed. **83, C4**

**Miller Maple Townhouses**, 2505-2563 Miller. 663-6138. Gottschalk Management Co. 30 bi-level units. Two & three bedrooms (U): \$725-\$825, includes water. One cat allowed. Central air-conditioning, playground. **84, B3**

**Mulberry Row Apartments**, 2716 Packard, Apt. 1. 971-1712, fax: 971-1751. All State Management. 120 units, built 1971. One & two bedrooms (U): \$600-\$700, includes water. Corporate lease program. Cats allowed (call for restrictions). Pool, tennis, fitness center, golf privileges at Georgetown Country Club. **85, F7**

**Park Place Apartments**, 1980 Pauline Blvd. 761-1897. McKinley Properties. 312 units, built 1967. One & two bedrooms (U): \$585-

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**Parkway Meadows**, 2575 Sandalwood. 605055. Nonprofit Housing Corp. 351 units, built 1979. 211 units are reserved for seniors (65 and older) and disabled. One to three bedrooms (U): rent set at 30 percent of income (government subsidized), includes water, sewer, gas, and trash. Come level determines eligibility for rent. Waiting lists currently closed. No pets. Pool, tennis. **87, G2**

**Parkway Plaza**, 2025 Huron Pkwy. 674140. Parkway Partners. 48 units, built 1979. One & two bedrooms (U): \$495-\$590, includes heat and water. Cats allowed. **88, G6**

**Pheasant Run Apartments**, 3510 Pheasant Run. 973-0640. Pheasant Run Management. 472 units. One & two bedrooms (U): \$550-\$605, includes water. No pets allowed. Indoor and outdoor pools, tennis, fitness center, sauna. **89, F8**

**The Pine Valley Apartments**, 1521 Pine Valley. 971-7840. Fourmildable Group. 164 units, built 1962. One & two bedrooms (U): \$580-\$715, includes heat and water. No pets. Pool, covered parking. **90, E7**

**Pinelake Village Cooperative**, 2732 Adair. 994-9177. Member-owned (buy-in fee \$1,245-\$1,915). 129 townhouse units. One & two bedrooms (U): \$400-\$602, includes heat and water. Rents may be reduced under HUD guidelines. Pets allowed. Wait of three to six months for two-bedroom apartments, one year for larger ones. **91, B5**

**Pines of Cloverlane Apartments**, 490 Cloverlane Dr. 434-3455. Equity Residential. 582 units, built 1976 & 1979. One & two bedrooms (U): \$595-\$765, includes water. Pets allowed. Indoor and outdoor pools, tennis, volleyball, exercise facilities, covered parking. **92, B9**

**The Ponds at Georgetown**, 2511 Packard. 761-2330. America First. 134 units, built 1989. Two & three bedrooms (U): \$850-\$1,225, includes water, cable, security alarm. Cats allowed. Pool, tennis, spa, exercise room, paddleball, covered parking. **93, F7**

**Randolph Court Apartments**, 3008 Randolph. 971-2828. 81 units. One & two bedrooms (U): \$490-\$610, includes water. Cats allowed. Pet policy. **94, I7**

**Ridgewood Apartments**, 4141 Green Meadow, Ypsilanti. 971-0635. Gordon Management. 300 units. One & two bedrooms (U): \$480-\$640, includes water. Cats welcome. Pool. **95, H8**

**Signature Villas**, 3000 Signature. 995-4300. Signature Group. 324 units, built 1989. One & two bedrooms (U): \$815-\$975, includes water, cable, washer and dryer in each unit. Cats and dogs allowed. Furnished suites available. Pool, tennis, fitness center. **96, D8**

**Sparrow Wood Apartments**, 2864 Carpenter. 971-8555. Empire Management. 88 units, built 1986. One & two bedrooms (U): \$600-\$750, includes water. Washer and dryer in each unit. Covered parking. No pets. **97, H7**

**Spicetree Apartments**, 4854 Washtenaw. 434-0400. Hall Financial Group. 551 units. One & two bedrooms (U): \$450-\$640, includes heat and water in most units. Pools, tennis, recreation area. Pets allowed. **98, I7**

**Spruce Knob Apartments**, 2960 Birch Hollow. 971-5333. McKinley Properties. 168 units, built 1967. One & two bedrooms (U): \$570-\$745, includes water. Cats and dogs under 25 lbs. allowed. Pool, volleyball, intercom access, resident reward program. **99, F8**

**Stadium Apartments**, 1846 Stadium, Suite 1. 930-6644. 173 units, built 1958. Studios (U): \$510, includes all utilities; one to three bedrooms (U): \$500-\$875, includes water. Short-term leases available. Cats allowed. **100, C5**

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**Down & Country Apartments**, 2572 Carpenter. 971-4939. Alan Gorosh. 97 units. One & two bedrooms (U): \$525-\$585, includes water and heat. No pets. Microwaves, pool. **102, H7**

**Traver Ridge Apartments**, 2401 Lancashire. 661-3325. BTE Associates/Woodbury Management. 210 units, built 1973. One to three bedrooms (U): \$760-\$1,035, includes water. New fitness center. Pets allowed. **103, F2**

**University Townhouses Co-op**, 3200 Braem. 973-1282. Member-owned housing cooperative (\$1,000 buy-in fee). 609 units. One to three bedrooms (U): \$337-\$384. Pets allowed. Waiting list time varies. **104, G8**

**Valley Ranch Apartments**, 1315 Oak Valley. 747-9050. Valley Ranch Management. One & two bedrooms (U): \$795-\$1,085, includes water. Cats allowed. Pools, tennis courts, sand volleyball, exercise room. **105, C8**

**The Village Green of Ann Arbor**, 459 Village Green. 995-9111. Village Green Management. 520 units, built 1987-1988. Studios and one & two bedrooms (F & U): \$650-\$955, includes water. Some furnished corporate suites. Cats allowed. Pool, tennis, jogging trail, spa, racquetball, sand volleyball. **106, I5**

**Village Park of Ann Arbor Apartments**, 1505 Natalie. 995-2992. Village Green Management. 216 units, built 1977. One & two bedrooms (F & U): \$690-\$860, includes heat and water. Cats allowed. Laundry hookup in each apartment. Pool, clubhouse, tennis, indoor racquetball, billiard and computer rooms, fitness center. **107, H3**

**Westwood Apartments**, 1900 W. Liberty. 665-0152. Phoenix Management. 120 units, built 1979. One & two bedrooms (U): \$625-\$775, includes water. Cats allowed. **108, B5**

**Windemere Park Apartments**, 2820 Windwood. 662-0330. Northstar Management. 480 units, built 1988. One & two bedrooms (F & U): \$765-\$1,675, includes cold water and carpet. Washer and dryer, microwave, and gas fireplace in all units. Cats and dogs under 25 lbs. allowed. Tennis, fitness center, pool, Jacuzzi, sauna, tanning. **109, G1**

**Woodbury Gardens**, 1245 Astor Way. 663-7633. Woodbury Management. 538 units, built 1970. One- & two-bedroom apartments and two- & three-bedroom townhouses (U): apartments \$675-\$895, townhouses \$985-\$1,275; apartment rents include water. Pets allowed in some units. Pool, tennis, exercise facilities, saunas. Two parks on property. **110, E6**

**Woodland Meadows Apartments**, 275 Fieldcrest. 995-1000. 168 units, built 1986. One & two bedrooms (U): \$755-\$1,070; two bedrooms (F): \$1,650, includes water and basic cable. Pets (except dogs) under 25 lbs. allowed. Laundry facilities and microwaves in each unit. Pool, covered parking optional. **111, D7**

**Woodland Meadows Townhouses**, 275 Fieldcrest. 995-1000. 138 townhouses, built 1988. \$1,125-\$1,675, includes water and basic cable. Pets (except dogs) under 25 lbs. allowed. Laundry facilities in each unit. Garages. **112, D7**

**Wyndham Hill Apartments**, 1210 W. Stadium, #4. 665-9229. Wilson White Co. 72 units, built 1959. One & two bedrooms (U): \$645-\$800, includes heat and water. Cats allowed. **113, C6**

## CONDOMINIUMS

Features, prices, and monthly association fees at major condominium complexes (over 20 units) served by the Ann Arbor Post Office or the Ann Arbor Public Schools. Many smaller complexes have no management staff; when no phone number is listed, contact your realty agent to learn if any units are for sale. Monthly fee information is listed where available. Prices are either estimates by local realty agents or

developers' list prices, both as of June 1997. To locate a complex on the map on p. 66, use the number at the end of each listing.

**Alpine Condominiums**, 3202 Alpine. 60 units. Two- & three-bedroom townhouses. \$90,000-\$110,000. Fee: \$140-\$165. **1**

**Arbor Heights**, 4200 Packard. Triad Management. 48 units. One- & two-bedroom townhouses. \$38,000-\$55,000. Fee: \$85-\$150. **2**

**The Arbors**, Dixboro, north of Geddes. Triad Management. 84 units. Two- & three-bedroom attached ranches and townhouses. Pool, tennis court. \$130,000-\$180,000. Fee: \$198-\$265. **3**

**Arlington Place**, 2225 S. Huron Pkwy. 971-8300. 56 units. Two & three bedrooms. \$70,000-\$90,000. Fee: \$100-\$120. **4**

**Ashford Place**, 2703 Maitland. 663-2480. Triad Management. 66 units. Two- & three-bedroom townhouses. \$185,000-\$270,000. Fee: \$156. **5**

**Brookside Commons**, 187 Kingsbrook (off S. Main). 995-8980. 60 units. Two- & three-bedroom townhouses and attached ranches. Pool. \$150,000-\$185,000. Fee: \$147. **6**

**Burns Park Condominiums**, 1531 Packard. 20 units. One to three bedrooms. \$50,000-\$67,000. Fee: \$200-\$283, includes heat. **7**

**Chapel Hill Condominiums**, 3350 Green. 761-2430. 425 units. Two- & three-bedroom townhouses. Pool. \$85,000-\$110,000. Fee: \$122-\$170. **8**

**The Clusters**, Textile at Carpenter. Triad Management. 36 units. Two- & three-bedroom townhouses. \$120,000-\$135,000. Fee: \$140-\$158. **9**

**Country Village Condominiums**, S. Maple between Pauline and Scio Church. 22 units. Three- & four-bedroom units. Play area, pond. \$139,000-\$147,000. Fee: \$70. **10**

**Earhart Village Condominiums**, 835 Greenhills. 769-6925. 174 units. Two- to four-bedroom townhouses. Pool, clubhouse, tennis courts. \$115,000-\$175,000. Fee: \$180-\$277. **11**

**Geddes Lake Cooperative Homes**, 3000 Lakehaven (off Huron Pkwy.). 996-1231. 360 units. Two- & three-bedroom townhouses. Pool, tennis, walking trail. \$58,000-\$105,000. Fee: \$170-\$272. **12**

**Georgetown Commons**, Hayes (north of Eisenhower). 973-1377. 116 units. Two- & three-bedroom townhouses and attached ranches. \$68,000-\$95,000. Fee: \$120-\$167. **13**

**Georgetown South**, Eisenhower at Hayes. 96 units. One- to three-bedroom units. \$68,000-\$95,000. Fee: \$120-\$167. **14**

**Heatherwood Condominiums**, 1443 Heatherwood Ln., Lohr at Oak Valley. 930-1700. 188 units. Two-bedroom ranch units. Pool, cabana. \$92,000-\$118,000. Fee: \$150. **15**

**Huron Chase**, 1943 Boulder (off Huron Pkwy.). (248) 644-3460. 50 units. One- to four-bedroom detached ranches and colonials. \$283,000-\$300,000. Fee: \$157. **16**

**Independence Condominiums**, Packard at Independence. 58 units. One- to three-bedroom units. Pool. \$68,000-\$80,000. Fee: \$180-\$192. **17**

**Kelly Green**, 2607 Miller. Two- & three-bedroom townhouses and single-family site condos. \$110,000-\$132,000. Fee: \$95-\$105. **18**

**Laurel Gardens**, 1292 Pepperidge. 103 units. Two- & three-bedroom townhouses and attached ranches. Pool, tennis courts. \$200,000-\$250,000. Fee: \$233. **19**

**Liberty Pointe**, off Liberty between Maple and Wagner. 662-8900. 114 units. Two- & three-bedroom townhouses. \$126,000-\$189,000. Fee: \$138. **20**

**Meadow Grove Condominiums**, 3518 Meadow Grove Tr. 995-4555. 81 units. Two- & three-bedroom townhouses with full basements and attached two-car garages. \$158,000-\$182,000. Fee: \$145. **21**

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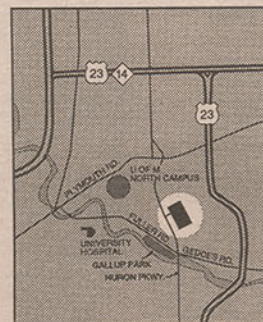
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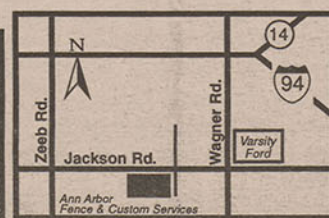
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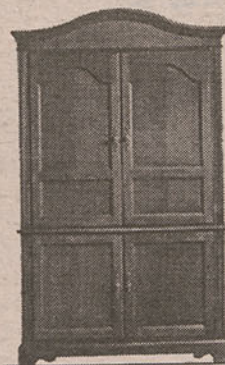
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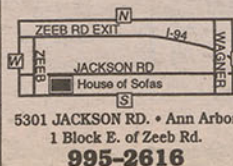


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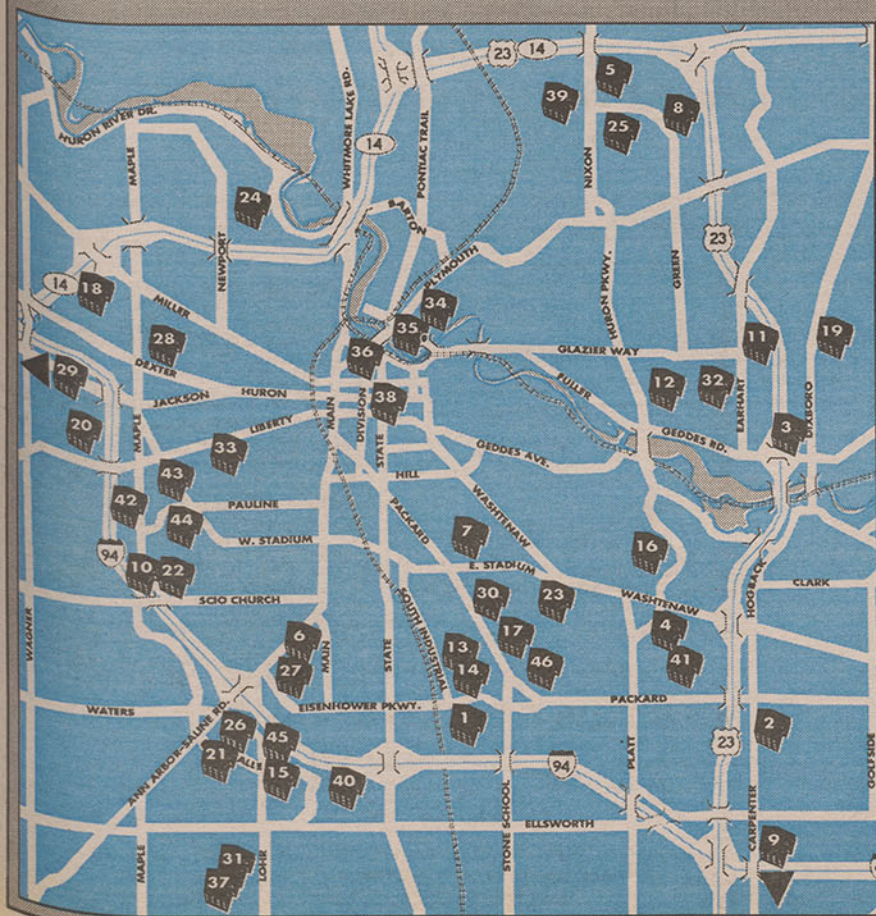
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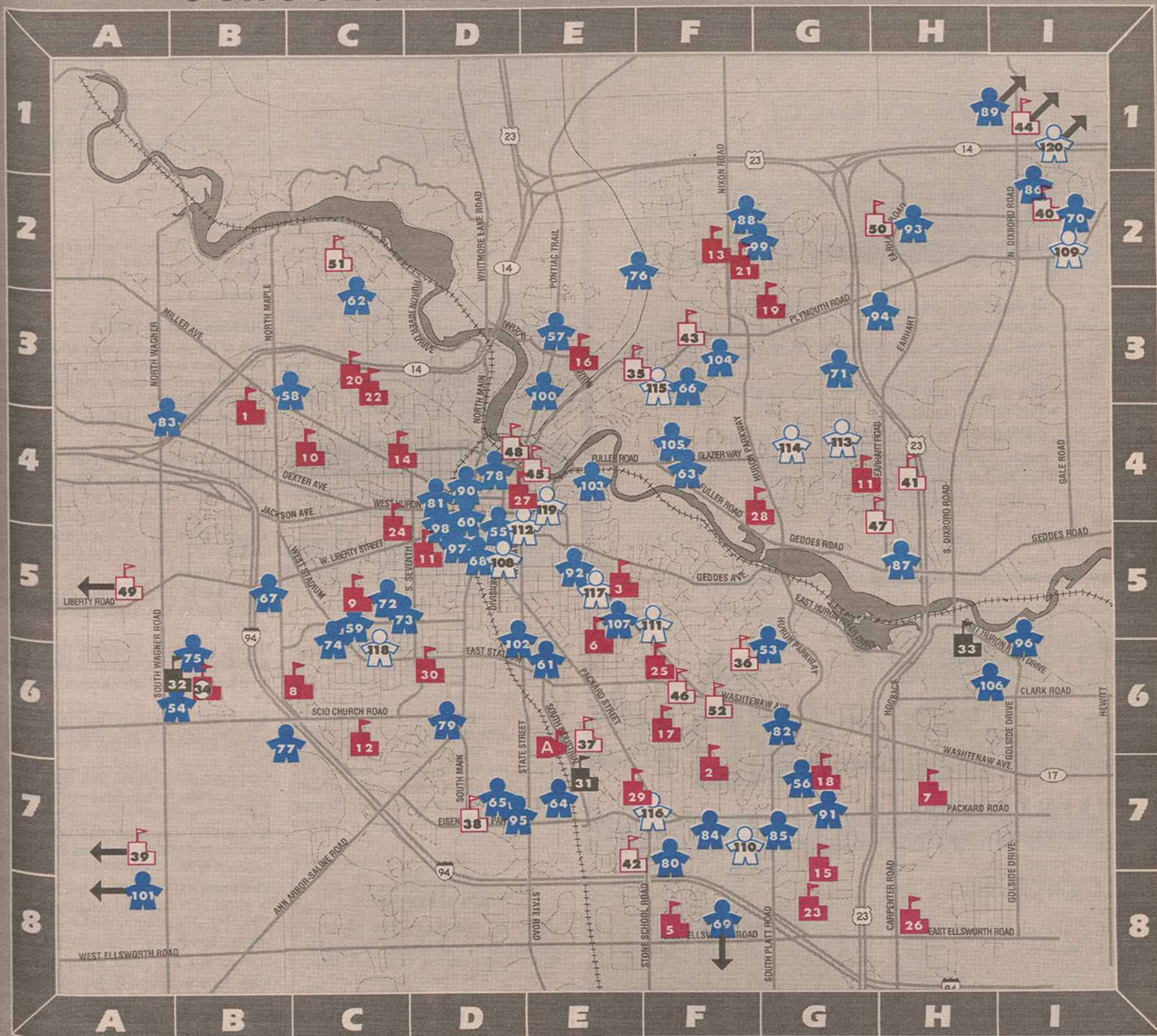
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Administrative Offices, E6

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2. Allen Elementary School, F7
3. Angell Elementary School, F5
4. Bach Elementary School, D5
5. Bryant Elementary School, F8
6. Burns Park Elementary School, E6
7. Carpenter Elementary School, H7
8. Dicken Elementary School, B6
9. Eberwhite Elementary School, C5
10. Haisley Elementary School, C4
11. King Elementary School, H4
12. Lawton Elementary School, C6
13. Logan Elementary School, F2
14. Mack Elementary School, D4
15. Mitchell Elementary School, G8
16. Northside Elementary School, E3
17. Pattengill Elementary School, F6
18. Pittsfield Elementary School, G7
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20. Wines Elementary School, C3
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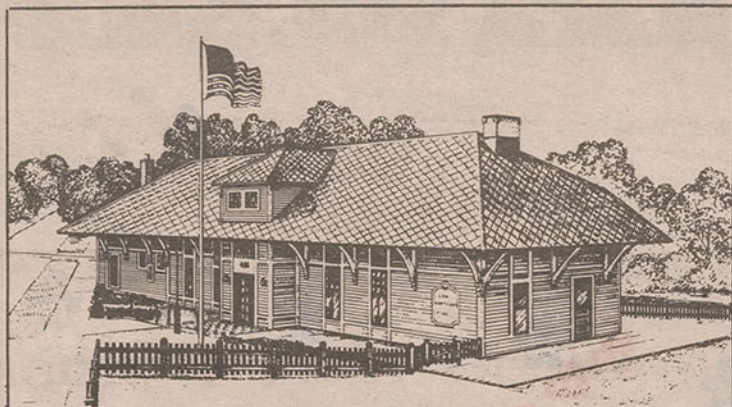
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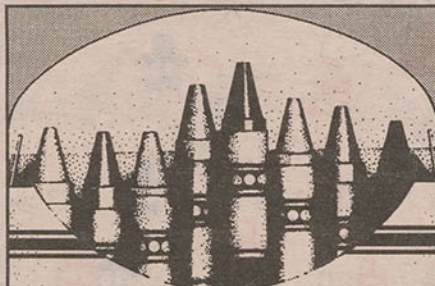
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### PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Principal assignments are current as of July 1997. Alternative or open programs operate at Bach Elementary, Middle Years Alternative (housed in Forsythe Middle School), Community High School, New School, and the Robert Clemente Center. Contact schools directly for more information.

#### PUBLIC SCHOOLS ADMINISTRATION

Ann Arbor Public Schools administrative offices are located at 2555 S. State. 994-2200. Superintendent John Simpson's office number is 994-2230. The schools' recorded transportation information hotline is 994-8683. (For school bus route information, call 994-2330.)

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**Anthony J. Barker.** Home: 665-8370. 3652 Elizabeth, AA 48103. 1995-1998.

**Bill Browning.** Home: 665-8167. 1229 Wines, AA 48103. 1997-2000.

**Cheryl Garnett.** Home: 665-0986. 2200 Fuller, #1203B, AA 48105. 1995-1998.

**Diane B. Hockett.** Home: 662-8382. 1037 Shady Oaks Dr., AA 48103. 1997-2000.

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#### ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Each of the public elementary schools in Ann Arbor offers extended care for children before and/or after school. Contact individual elementary schools directly.

Note: Enrollment figures are projections for the 1997-1998 school year.

**Abbot,** 2670 Sequoia. 994-1901. 450 students in grades K-5. Joann Okey, principal. **1, B4**

**Allen,** 2560 Towner. 994-1904. 507 students in grades K-5. Janette Jackson, principal. **2, F8**

**Angell,** 1608 South University. 994-1907. 300 students in grades K-5. LeeAnn Dickinson-Kelley, principal. **3, F5**

**Bach,** 600 W. Jefferson. 994-1910. 366 students in grades K-5. Lovie Bradley, principal. **4, D5**

**Bryant,** 2150 Santa Rosa. 994-1916. 386 students in grades K-2. Students attend Pattengill for grades 3-5. Dr. Luther Korbett, principal. **5, F8**

**Burns Park,** 1414 Wells. 994-1919. 465 students in grades K-5. Ruth Williams, principal. **6, E6**

**Carpenter,** 4250 Central. 994-1922. 329 students in grades K-5. Robin Jackson, principal. **7, H7**

**Dicken,** 2135 Runnymede. 994-1928. 317 students in grades K-5. Kathleen Scarnecchia, principal. **8, B6**

**Eberwhite,** 800 Soule. 993-1934. 384 students in grades K-5. Giannine Perigo, principal. **9, C5**

**Haisley,** 825 Duncan. 994-1937. 288 students in grades K-5. Judy Mann, principal. **10, C4**

**King,** 3800 Waldenwood. 994-1940. 433 students in grades K-5. Margaret Durant, principal. **11, H4**

**Lawton,** 2250 S. Seventh. 994-1946. 526 students in grades K-5. Nanette Gill, principal. **12, C6**

**Logan,** 2685 Traver. 994-1807. 491 students in grades K-5. Lamar Whitmore, principal. **13, F2**

**Mack,** 920 Miller. 994-1949. 272 students in grades K-5. Patricia Chapman, principal. **14, D4**

**Mitchell,** 3550 Pittsview. 994-1952. 311 students in grades K-5. Shelly Bruder, principal. **15, G7**

**Northside,** 912 Barton. 994-1958. 368 students in grades K-5. William Morgan, principal. **16, E3**

**Pattengill,** 2100 Crestland. 994-1961. 345 students in grades 3-5. Students attend Bryant for grades K-2. Gae Ravlin, principal. **17, F6**

**Pittsfield,** 2543 Pittsfield. 994-1964. 285 students in grades K-5. Shelly Bruder, principal. **18, G7**





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Students in grades K-5. Glenna Tringali, principal. 18, G7

**Thurston**, 2300 Prairie. 994-1970. 322 students in grades K-5. Ron Collins, principal. 19, G2

**Wines**, 1701 Newport. 994-1973. 450 students in grades K-5. Patty DeYoung, principal. 20, C3

#### MIDDLE SCHOOLS

**Clague**, 2616 Nixon. 994-1976. 659 students in grades 6-8. Casandra Russell, principal. 21, G2

**Forsythe/Middle Years Alternative**, 1655 Newport. 994-1985. 710 students in grades 6-8. Patrick O'Neill, principal; Michael Madison, dean of MYA. 22, C3

**Scarlett**, 3300 Lorraine. 994-1994. 568 students in grades 6-8. Sharon Baskerville, principal. 23, G8

**Slauson**, 1019 W. Washington. 994-2004. 737 students in grades 6-8. Mark Ravlin, principal. 24, C5

**Tappan**, 2251 E. Stadium. 994-2011. 723 students in grades 6-8. Gary Court, principal. 25, F6

#### HIGH SCHOOLS

**Roberto Clemente Student Development Center**, 4377 Textile, Ypsilanti. 434-4611. 115 students in grades 8-12. Joseph Dulin, principal. Alternative program for students who have difficulty functioning in traditional schools. Students usually are referred by their sending school, but they (or their parents) may select the school themselves. Its focus includes students who are looking for a smaller, more structured, nurturing learning environment. 26, H8

**Community**, 401 N. Division. 994-2021. 399 students in grades 9-12. Judy Conger, dean. 27, D4

**Huron**, 2727 Fuller. 994-2040. 1,730 students in grades 9-12. Arthur Williams, principal. 28, F4

**New School**, housed at Stone School, 2800 Stone School Rd. 994-6261. Rich Ballard, lead teacher. This new high school offers a theme-based approach to core learning. Maximum enrollment is 100 students in grades 9-11, additional grades to be added each year. 29, E7

**Pioneer**, 601 W. Stadium. 994-2120. 2,025 students in grades 9-12. Bob Galardi, principal. 30, D6

#### CHARTER SCHOOLS

Charter schools receive state public education funds but operate independently of the local school system. Ann Arbor now is home to three charter schools. With EMU entering the chartering business, we may be seeing more before long.

**Central Academy**, 2459 South Industrial. (313) 332-9220, fax: 332-9270. Luay Shalabi, principal. Public, multicultural, charter school for 150 students in grades pre-K-10. In addition

tion to standard public school curriculum, Arabic is taught as a foreign language. 31, E7

**Honey Creek Community School**, 1735 S. Wagner. 994-2636. Leslie Fry, executive director. Public charter school for 75 students ages 5-10 (additional grades to be added each year). A thematic, project-based curriculum with parental involvement. Student-teacher ratio 1:15. Summer program available. 32, B6

**Washtenaw Technical Middle College**, 4800 E. Huron River Dr. 973-3599. Dr. Patricia Dignan, dean. Public charter school for 147 students, grades 10 & 11 (additional grades to be added each year). Classes offer basic core curriculum and specific training on applied technologies and emphasis on career and college preparation. Allows students to take college level classes in junior year. 33, H6

#### SPECIAL EDUCATION

The Ann Arbor school district offers many programs for people with special needs from birth to age 25. (Help with vision and hearing impairments is provided for all ages.) The school where each program is held is noted in parentheses. Many programs are offered at the Washtenaw Intermediate School District's **High Point School** (1735 S. Wagner, 994-8111; Paul Helber, principal; 34, B6). For more information, call the Special Education Office at Student Support Services, 994-2318.

From birth to age 3, the district offers **early intervention** services at home and at High Point. There is a **preschool** at High Point for ages 3-5. At the **elementary** level, special education programs for autism, trainable mental impairment, severe mental impairment, and severe multiple impairments are offered in the home elementary school in regular classrooms, with support if needed. In addition, there are special classrooms for students with educable mental impairments at Dicken; emotional impairments at Mitchell, Northside, and Thurston; and moderate mental disabilities at Burns Park, Carpenter, and Haisley.

At the **middle-school** level, the district offers teacher consultants and direct instruction in reading and mathematics with a special education teacher. In addition, there are classrooms for the educable mentally impaired and severely learning disabled at Clague, and for students with emotional and behavioral problems at Scarlett, Slauson, and Tappan.

Huron and Pioneer **high schools** have teacher consultants, study labs or individual learning centers, resource rooms, and direct instruction in reading and math. The high schools have self-contained classrooms for students with severe learning disabilities and mental impairments; a program for emotionally impaired students operates at Stone School.

#### PRIVATE SCHOOLS

⌚ indicates that the school offers care for younger children before and/or after normal school hours.

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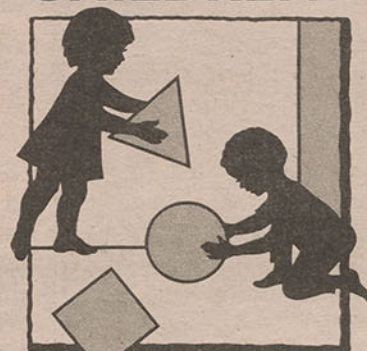
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This intense effort reflects the great needs of the children at this school. The reasons they are here include Down's syn-

drome, autism, mental impairment, physical and motor difficulties, and struggles with behavior and language. The team of teachers and specialists works closely with parents to share information and ideas, solve problems, and plan for the future.

The school, which is located at High Point School on Wagner Road, has the usual fun events: a Bingo for Books night, picnics, music night, field trips, and a magician. Yet the real intimacy, the unspoken bond, is the shared experience for the families. Something happened, sometime, somehow, and our children need



PETER YATES

extra help. At the school's day and evening programs for parents, there is none of the usual kiddie chitchat about cloth versus disposable diapers, the bottle or the breast, meat or vegetables. Some parents yearn for their children to talk, some have toddlers who lack the urge to eat, and some parents have a child who is dying.

Someone once said that special parents experience more intense feelings—greater joy and greater sorrow. Ah, the joy. It is like a splendid warm sunny day in winter to see a child draw a face for the first time, ride a bicycle, or hug a classmate when he used to run away from other children.

After a child leaves preschool, options are varied. "Our first preference is for their home school," says Betty Kirksey, a school district-wide teacher consultant who works with families on this transition. "We look at what kind of support the child needs and the preferences of the parents."

The presence of options is part of a changing trend in special education. Until federal laws were passed in 1965, many handicapped children were excluded from public schools. Then, for a time, they were serviced in separate classrooms. Now the goal is diverse schools and communities, where everyone is together and extra support is given to those who need it. Depending on their needs, special education students may get assistance that enables them to take part in regular classes or to study in self-contained classrooms.

About 1,600 students received special education support and services during the 1996-1997 school year in the Ann Arbor School District. Referrals can be made by parents, pediatricians, day care and preschool teachers, specialists, school teachers, and principals. Parents must give their permission for evaluations, which are done during the school year, and they are encouraged to help plan their child's education.

The Ann Arbor School District's special education preschool and early intervention programs, along with the state's Head Start program, rent their space at High Point, a Washtenaw Intermediate School District building. For more information, see the special education listings in this section on p. 77, or call the Special Education Office at Student Support Services, 994-2318.

—Peggy Page

**The Rudolf Steiner School of Ann Arbor**, 2775 Newport. 995-4141, fax: 995-4383. 250 students in grades K-10. David Hill, faculty chairperson. Waldorf education. ☉, 51, C2

**Summers-Knoll School**, 2015 Manchester. 971-7991. Multiage, open classroom school for bright and creative children. 60 children, ages 6-10. Jean Navarre, school consultant. ☉, 52, F6

## CHILD CARE PROGRAMS

The child care centers in this listing have been approved and licensed by Michigan Consumer and Industry Services. Eleven centers have also been accredited by the National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC)—see listings. In addition to the centers listed here, Ann Arbor also has approximately 360 smaller licensed day care homes, most caring for six or fewer children. Contact the Child Care Network or the Day Care Homes Association of Washtenaw County (see below) for listings.

All of the public elementary schools in Ann Arbor offer before-school and/or after-school care for children in grades K-5. For information and locations, contact individual schools. Those private schools offering extended care before or after school are noted in the list above with this symbol: ☉. For people ages 5-26 with developmental and physical disabilities there is an after-school program, the **Just Us Club**, at High Point Center, 1735 Wagner. Call Shannon Hill or Marilyn Johnson at 994-8111, ext. 1699, 2-6 p.m.

The child care section has three parts. The first section lists **community resources** to help parents locate appropriate child care facilities. The second section lists child care centers offering **full-time care**. The third section lists centers offering only **part-time care** (including co-op nurseries).

**Costs quoted for full-time care centers are for a 3-year-old child** attending the center for full days, Monday through Friday. Costs for younger children are usually higher; costs for older children are usually lower. Part-time centers and co-op prices are less standardized, reflecting each center's specific program. All centers take applications at any time, unless otherwise noted.

To locate a **child care center** on the map on p. 75, use the number and coordinates at the end of each listing. For example, the note 53, F6 at the end of the listing for Ann Arbor Hills Child Development Center means that the center is represented by the number 53 on the map and can be found at the intersection of column F and row 6.

**B.A.** indicates that all teachers at the center hold at least a B.A. in child development or a related field.

**Drop-in** indicates that drop-in child care is available.

☉ indicates centers that offer care before and/or after school hours for an additional charge over the standard weekly rate.

**NAEYC** indicates accreditation by the National Association for the Education of Young Children.

**TT** indicates that children must be toilet trained before enrollment in the program.

## COMMUNITY CHILD CARE RESOURCES

**Child Care Network**, NEW Center, 1100 N. Main, Suite 201. 761-6040. This nonprofit organization provides information on child care centers, family day care homes, drop-in centers, parent education, child care alternatives, and types of financial assistance. Publishes *The Children's Yellow Pages*, available at the office. Web: [Comnet.org/fsn](http://Comnet.org/fsn)

**Day Care Homes Association of Washtenaw**

**County**. For referrals, call Noreen at 971-3808. This organization of licensed home day care providers supplies general information on day care homes as a child care alternative and provides parents with a referral list of homes with openings.

**Michigan Consumer and Industry Services**, Division of Child Day Care Licensing, 22 Center, Ypsilanti. 481-2189. Provides information on licensing criteria for child care homes and centers.

## FULL-TIME CHILD CARE

**Ann Arbor Hills Child Development Center**, 2775 Bedford. 971-3080. Parent-toddler and "All by Myself" classes for ages 18 months-2 1/2 years, preschool for ages 2 1/2-5 years, morning or full-day kindergarten for ages 5 & 6, and a primary school, all with emphasis on Piaget's principles of cognitive development. Summer program available. Adult-child ratio 1:7 or less. Open Sept.-July only. B.A., ☉, 53, F6

**Ann Arbor Public Schools Preschool and Family Center-Head Start, Michigan Readiness Program and Title I**. Located at High Point Center, 1735 S. Wagner. 994-2303. Preschool program with parental participation for children ages 3 & 4 years. Legal residence must be within the Ann Arbor School District. Priority given to 4-year-olds. Home-based preschool program available for 3-year-olds. Adult-child ratio 1:9 (school), 1:1 (home-based). Certified teacher and trained home visitor. Free to families meeting financial eligibility guidelines or on public assistance. Families with children with special needs (certified handicapped, disabilities, etc.) especially encouraged to apply. Open only during the public school year. B.A., 54, B6

**Ann Arbor YMCA Child Care Center**, 350 S. Fifth Ave. 663-9004. Child care for ages 2-12 years. Before- and after-school care avail-

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Over the years we have counted on Ms. Bachman and her staff to keep us informed of our daughter's health while at the facility. Ms. Bachman has shown that nobody is above her rule regarding the exposing of the children and the staff to illness.

We have counted on her program to help us teach our daughter things that she should learn, at her age, to help her be a better person. Ms. Bachman and her staff are a tremendous knowledge base from which our daughter draws. Soon after starting in the program we began to call the day-care "school" because of the educational environment it provides.

There are many other things for which we depend on the program that I won't mention here. What is important is that it has never let us down.

With all this said, the most important thing we rely on Ms. Bachman and her staff for is their use of good judgement. They represent us when our daughter is in their care. I will say again, they have never let us down.

The program at Cradles and Cribbs Daycare & Tots Learning Center is well thought out and the center is staffed with vibrant, intelligent and fun people. We greatly enjoy watching our daughter bubble with excitement to tell us what she did, and learned, at school today.

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**Annie's Jack & Jill Children's Center**, 3220 Oakwood. 973-7222. Day care and preschool for ages 6 weeks-7 years. Adult-child ratios 1:3-1:10. \$135 per week for care 7:15 a.m.-5:30 p.m. B.A., ☉, 56, G7

**Apples & Pears Preschool and Aftercare**, 1505 Pear St. 769-2795. Ages 3-10 years (fifth grade). Adult-child ratio 1:5. \$135 per week for 45 hours of care. Aftercare starts at \$45 per week. Varied specialty programs available (field trips, swimming lessons, gymnastics, music, etc.) presented daily from 4-6 p.m. Tutoring available by a certified teacher in languages (French & Spanish), math, and reading. Transportation available. Care times are individually arranged; service is available 24 hours a day and on weekends. B.A., ☉, 57, E3

**Child Care Connection**, 2664 Miller. 994-1150. Day care and preschool for ages 2 weeks-6 years. Adult-child ratios 1:4-1:10. \$158 (preschool rate) and \$195 (infant/toddler) per week for care 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. B.A., 58, C3

**Children's Creative Center**, 1600 Pauline. 769-0019. Child care and kindergarten for ages 18 months-6 years. Before- and after-school child care services available. Adult-child ratios 1:6-1:8. \$140-160 per week for care 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Summer program available. B.A., ☉, 59, C5

**Children's Playspace**, 123 N. Ashley. 995-2688. Child care for infants, toddlers, and preschoolers, ages 8 weeks-kindergarten. Adult-child ratios 1:4-1:8. \$910 per month (infant/toddler), \$684 per month (preschool) for care 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. B.A., 60, D5

**Community Day Care and Preschool Center, Inc.**, 1611 Westminster. 761-7101. Day care and preschool for ages 2 1/2-12 years. Adult-child ratio 1:8. \$90-\$147 per week, based on income, 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Summer programs also available. B.A., NAEYC, 61, E6

**Concord Preschool & Kindergarten**, 4300 Scio Church Rd. 994-3667. Day care and preschool kindergarten for ages 2 1/2-5 years. Adult-child ratios 1:6-1:10. \$627 per month for care 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Partial schedules available at lower rates. B.A., ☉, 62, C3

**Corner Cottage Child Care Center**, 2215 Fuller. 995-1001. Day care and preschool for ages 5 weeks-5 years. Adult-child ratios 1:3-1:7. \$145-\$170 per week for care 7 a.m.-6 p.m. 63, F4

**Cradles, Cribbs Day Care, and Tots Learning Center**, 2801 Boardwalk. 998-0180. Day care, preschool, and kindergarten for ages 6 weeks-6 years. Adult-child ratios 1:4-1:8. \$155 per week. 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Summer camp program for ages 5-8, June-Aug. B.A., ☉, 64, E7

**Daycroft Montessori School**, 100 E. Oakbrook. 930-0333. Montessori program for ages 18 months-10 years. Adult-child ratios 1:4-1:12. Teachers are Montessori-certified. Applications preferred in March. \$550 per month for care 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Open 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. B.A., ☉, 65, D7

**The DeRosia House-Family Child Care**, 1754 McIntyre. 647-3861. 24-hour child care for children ages 6 weeks-5 years. Adult-child ratio 1:6. \$135 per week. B.A., ☉, 66, F3

**Discovery Center**, 775 S. Maple. 663-7496. Preschool and kindergarten for ages 2 1/2-5 years. Adult-child ratio 1:8. \$170 per week for care 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Summer program available. B.A., NAEYC, 67, B5

**Doughty-Law Montessori School**, 416 S. Ashley. 663-8050. Preschool and kindergarten

for ages 2 1/2-6 years. Adult-child ratio 1:10 less. Head teachers are Montessori-certified. Summer program available. \$110 per week care 8 a.m.-5:30 p.m. ☉, 68, D5

**Gingerbread House**, 1600 Textile. 429-1274. Day care, preschool, and kindergarten for ages 2 1/2-5 years. Adult-child ratios 1:7-1:8. \$110 per week for 40 hours of care. Open 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. B.A., 69, F8

**Go Like the Wind! Montessori School**, 3550 Dixboro Ln. 747-7422. Preschool and kindergarten for ages 2 1/2-5 years. Also elementary school through sixth grade and day care for ages. Teachers are Montessori-certified. 24794 Pa computers per classroom equipped with custom Montessori software. Adult-child ratio 1:10. \$132 per week for school day 8:30 a.m.-3:15 p.m. Open 7:30 a.m.-5:45 p.m., 12 months per year. Summer program available. B.A., ☉, 70, I2

**Green House Montessori School**, 3613 Green Brier. 913-0021. Montessori preschool and kindergarten for ages 3-6 years. Teachers are Montessori-certified. Adult-child ratio 1:10. \$473 per month for full-day care, 8:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Open 7:30 a.m.-6 p.m. Summer program available. B.A., ☉, 71, G3

**Gretchen's House I-Mt. Vernon**, 700 Mt. Vernon. 769-4402. Child care, morning preschool, half-day kindergarten, and before- and after care for children 2 1/2-12 years. Adult-child ratio 1:4-1:10. Summer program available. \$85-\$165 per week for care 7:30 a.m.-5:45 p.m. B.A., NAEYC, ☉, 72, C5

**Gretchen's House II**, 721 Mt. Pleasant. 662-2739. Infant and toddler care for children 3 months-3 years. Adult-child ratio 1:4. \$230 per week for care 7:15 a.m.-5:45 p.m. Fee includes meals and diapers. (All children are charged at infant rate due to adult-child ratio.) B.A., NAEYC, 73, C5

**Gretchen's House III**, 1745 W. Stadium. 663-4720. Child care, full-day kindergarten, and before- and after-school care for children 18 months-12 years. Adult-child ratios 1:4-1:10. Half-day program available for kindergarten. Summer program available. \$85-\$230 per week for care 7:15 a.m.-5:45 p.m. B.A., NAEYC, ☉, 74, C6

**Gretchen's House IV-Washtenaw Intermediate School District**, 1735 S. Wagner. 994-8100, ext. 1696. Child care for children 18 months-5 years. Adult-child ratios 1:4-1:10. \$138-\$210 per week for the public (discount for WISD employees) for care 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. B.A., NAEYC, 75, B6

**Gretchen's House V**, 2625 Traver. 761-7031. Child care, full-day kindergarten, and before- and after-school care for children 3 months-12 years. Adult-child ratios 1:4-1:10. Half-day program available for preschool and kindergarten. Summer program available. \$85-\$230 per week for care 7:15 a.m.-5:45 p.m. B.A., NAEYC, ☉, 76, E2

**Gretchen's House VI**, 2340 Oak Valley. 327-6125. Child care, full-day kindergarten, and before- and after-school care for children 18 months-12 years. Adult-child ratios 1:4-1:10. Half-day program available for preschool and kindergarten. Summer program available. \$85-\$230 per week for care 7:15 a.m.-5:45 p.m. B.A., NAEYC, ☉, 77, E2

**Jack and Jill Learning Center**, 216 Beakes. 761-8070. Day care, preschool, and kindergarten for ages 6 weeks-10 years. Adult-child ratios 1:4-1:12. \$135-\$165 per week for care 7 a.m.-6 p.m. B.A., 78, D4

**Jack and Jill Learning Center**, 2118 Ann Arbor-Saline Rd. 665-5564. Day care, preschool, and kindergarten for ages 1-10 years. Adult-child ratios 1:3-1:12. \$135-\$165 per week for care 7:15 a.m.-5:30 p.m. B.A., 79, D6

**Jewish Community Center Pre-School**, 2935 Birch Hollow. 971-0990. Day care and preschool for ages 2 months-5 years. Also sponsors kindergarten enrichment program. Adult-child ratios 1:4-1:7. \$172-\$190 per week for care 7:30 a.m.-6 p.m. B.A., 80, F7

**Kangaroo Child Care Center**, 218 Chapin. 741-1660. Day care and preschool for ages 6



1:10 weeks-5 years. Adult-child ratios 1:4-1:8.  
 \$110 per week for care 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. **81,**  
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**Kindergarten Learning Center**, 2300 S.  
 Duron Pkwy. 971-6626. Day care and  
 preschool for ages 6 weeks-12 years. Adult-  
 child ratios 1:4-1:20. \$121 per week for care 7  
 a.m.-6 p.m. **Drop-in, 82, G6**

**Little Folk's Corner**, 4850 Dexter. 769-0944.  
 Day care and preschool for ages 12 months-6  
 years. Adult-child ratios 1:4-1:7. \$147.50 per  
 week for care 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. **B.A., 83, A4**

**Little Lamb Nursery and Kindergarten**,  
 24794 Packard. 971-4811. Preschool and  
 kindergarten for ages 2 1/2-5 years. Affiliated  
 with Seventh Day Adventist Church; nonde-  
 nomination teachings. Adult-child ratio 1:8.  
 \$128 per week for care 7 a.m.-6 p.m. Part-time  
 available; \$30 per full-day and \$20 for half-day  
 (learning sessions). Summer program available  
 for ages 2 1/2-12 years. **B.A., TT, 84, F7**

**Little People's University**, 2946 St. Aubin.  
 971-3802. Day care and kindergarten for ages  
 6 weeks-6 years. Adult-child ratio 1:6. 7:30  
 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Accelerated program with  
 structured academics. \$110 per week. **B.A.,**  
**85, G7**

**Little Tigers Child Care Center**, 3540  
 Dixboro Ln. 930-1810. Child care, preschool,  
 and kindergarten for children 6 weeks-6 years.  
 Adult-child ratios: 1:3-1:10. Rates: \$155 per  
 week for care 7 a.m.-6:15 p.m. **B.A., 86, I2**

**Meadowbrook Learning Center**, 5665 Ged-  
 des. 483-3276. Day care and preschool for  
 ages 2 1/2-5 years (summer, ages 2 1/2-9).  
 Adult-child ratio 1:8. \$110 per week for care 7  
 a.m.-6 p.m. Summer program available. **B.A.,**  
**87, H5**

**Modern Montessori and Nursery School**,  
 2250 Nixon. 662-4949. Poonam Singhal, di-  
 rector. Montessori school and preschool for  
 ages 2 1/2-6 years. Adult-child ratio 1:7.  
 Teachers have Montessori training or B.A. de-  
 grees. \$110 per week (Montessori preschool)  
 and \$90 per week (regular preschool). Open  
 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. **TT, 88, F2**

**Oak Trails Children's House**, 6727 Warren.  
 662-8016. Montessori preschool and kinder-  
 garten for ages 2 1/2-6 years. Adult-child ratio  
 1:7. Teachers have Montessori training. \$90  
 per week for care 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Open 7:30  
 a.m.-6 p.m. during the school year. **B.A., 89,**  
**TT, 89, I1**

**Peachtree Preschool Workshop**, 319 N.  
 Ashley. 665-5347. Day care and preschool for  
 ages 6 weeks-6 years. Adult-child ratios  
 1:4-1:10. Teachers are Montessori-certified.  
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 \$160-\$185 per week for care 7:30 a.m.-5:30  
 p.m. **B.A., NAEYC, 90, D4**

**Perry Nursery School and Kindergarten**,  
 3770 Packard. 677-8130. Child care center for  
 children ages 2 1/2-6 years of single-parent  
 families. Tuition on sliding scale according to  
 income. Adult-child ratio 1:6. Care available 7  
 a.m.-6 p.m. **TT, 91, G7**

**Pound House Children's Center (U-M)**, 710  
 S. Forest. 998-8440. Preschool and extended  
 afternoon care for ages 2 1/2-5 years. Adult-  
 child ratio 1:4. \$660 per month for care 9  
 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Half days at half rate. **B.A.,**  
**NAEYC, 92, E5**

**Rainbow Rascals**, 24 Frank Lloyd Wright,  
 Lobby B. 930-7529. Preschool and learning  
 center for ages 6 weeks-5 years. Adult-child  
 ratios 1:4-1:12. \$600 per month. Half-day rates  
 available. Open 7 a.m.-6 p.m. **93, H2**

**Rainbow Rascals Learning Center**, 4220  
 Plymouth. 332-0062. Preschool and learning  
 center, with private kindergarten for ages 6  
 weeks-6 years. Adult-child ratios 1:4-1:12.  
 \$615 per month for full days and \$417 for half  
 days. \$585 per month for kindergarten. Open 7  
 a.m.-6 p.m. **94, G3**

**Robin's Nest Drop-In Child Care Center**,  
 2900 South State, Suite 22 (in the Concord  
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**St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Child Care Facility**, 5301 E. Huron River Dr. 712-4020. Child care and kindergarten for ages 2 weeks-6 years for children of employees of St. Joseph Mercy Health System. Summer program available for ages 6-10. Adult-child ratios 1:3-1:10. \$120-\$170 per week for care 6:30 a.m.-6:30 p.m. B.A., 96, I6

**St. Paul's Early Childhood Center**, 420 W. Liberty. 668-0887. Preschool and child care with Christian emphasis for ages 3-5 years. Adult-child ratio 1:6. \$160 per week for care 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. B.A., Drop-in, 97, D5

**St. Paul's Infant-Toddler House**, 225 S. Third. 747-6360. Child care with a Christian emphasis for ages 6 weeks-3 years. Adult-child ratio 1:3. \$160 per week for care 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. B.A., Drop-in, 98, D5

**Shepherd's Preschool and Childcare Center**, 2600 Nixon. 761-7275. Preschool and day care for ages 2 1/2-5 years with a basis in Christian values. Adult-child ratio 1:8. Summer programs available. \$138 per week for care 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. B.A., 99, F2

**Sitters Unlimited**, 710 Apple St. 663-6230. Day care for children of all ages. Adult-child ratio 1:6. \$130 per week for care 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. B.A., 100, E3

**Sunshine Special**, 6536 Scio Church. 665-5175. Day care and preschool for ages 13 months-5 years. Adult-child ratios 1:3-1:7. \$29-\$33 per day for care 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Sliding scale fees. Summer programs available for ages 2 1/2-9 years. B.A., Drop-in, 101, B8

**Time for Tots**, 1128 White. Day care respite program for children from homeless families, ages 2 1/2 weeks-6 years. Adult-child ratio 1:4-1:6. Placement by referral from local homeless shelter agencies. No charge to families. B.A., 102, D6

**U-M Children's Center for Working Families**, 716 S. Forest. 998-7600. Full-day, full-year preschool available for ages 2 1/2-5 years. Open to the public. Adult-child ratio 1:4. Waiting list for enrollment. \$173 per week includes 50 hours of service, Mon.-Fri. 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Hot lunches served daily. Scholarships available. B.A., NAEYC, 103, E4

**U-M Family Housing Child Development Center**, 1000 McIntyre. 764-4557. Part-time and full-time preschool for ages 2 1/2-5 years. Adult-child ratios 1:5-1:6. \$140-\$170 per week for care 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Priority given to residents of U-M Family Housing and those affiliated with U-M. Multicultural environment. Summer camp program available for elementary school children. B.A., 104, F3

**U-M Hospitals Child Care Center**, 2601 Glazier Way. 998-6195. Day care for ages 2 weeks-5 years for U-M Hospital employees. Adult-child ratios 1:3-1:7. Waiting list for enrollment. Rates: \$630 per month for care 6:30 a.m.-6:30 p.m. B.A., 105, F4

**Washtenaw Community College Children's Center**, 4800 E. Huron River Dr. 973-3538. Preschool and day care for ages 18 months-5 years (up to second grade during the summer) for children of WCC employees or students. Adult-child ratios 1:4-1:8. Teachers have associate's, B.A., or M.A. degrees. Toddlers: \$2.50 per hour; preschool: \$2.15 per hour, 10 percent discount for over 30 hours (40 hours \$77.40); discount for second child. Open Mon.-Thurs. 7:30 a.m.-10 p.m., Fri. 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.; follows WCC calendar. 106, H6

**Wee Wisdom Child Development Center**, 2455 Washtenaw. 663-6100. Day care, preschool, and kindergarten readiness for ages 2 weeks-6 years. Summer program available. Adult-child ratios 1:4-1:7. Open 7:30 a.m.-6 p.m. 107, E5

## PART-TIME AND CO-OP CHILD CARE CENTERS

**Ann Arbor Co-op Nursery**, 423 S. Forest Ave. (in Bethlehem United Church of Christ) 769-7966. Parental participation co-preschool for ages 2 1/2-5 years; in its 6 year. Parents participate approximately twice a month. Class for 3-year-olds meets Mon. Wed., & Fri. 9-11:30 a.m.; class for 4-year-olds meets Mon., Wed., & Fri. 12:45-3:15 p.m. Adult-child ratio 1:5. \$235 per semester. Open house in March. Open Sept.-May only. B.A., TT, 108, D5

**Dixboro Co-op Nursery**, 5221 Church Rd. Dixboro. 662-8289. Parental participation co-preschool for ages 2 1/2-5 years. Parents participate twice a month. Adult-child ratio 1:5. Meets Mon., Wed., & Fri. 9:15-11:45 a.m. \$235 per month. Open Sept.-June only. B.A., TT, 109, I2

**The Early Learning Center**, 3070 Redwood. 973-7722. Preschool with optional parental involvement for ages 2 1/2-5 years. Adult-child ratio 1:7. Apply after March 1 for care beginning in Sept. \$16.55 per half-day session. Open five mornings and three afternoons weekly during the Ann Arbor Public School year. B.A., TT, 110, F7

**East Side Co-op Drop-In Center**, 1917 Washtenaw (First Unitarian Church; entrance on Berkshire). 480-1520. Cooperative drop-in center for ages 6 months-6 years. Parental participation required every fourth session. Adult-child ratio 1:4. Meets Mon. & Wed. 9:30-11:30 a.m. \$3 per morning for one child, \$2 for each additional child. B.A., Drop-in, 111, F5

**First United Methodist Co-op**, 120 S. State. 913-6947. Parental participation preschool for ages 3 & 4 years. Parents assist five to seven times per semester. Also a program for children with special needs such as physical disability or late speech development. Adult-child ratio 1:5. Open house in February. \$300 per year for two half-days per week. \$450 per year for three half-days per week. B.A., 112, D5

**Glacier Way Co-op Nursery**, 1001 Green. 995-0707. Parental participation preschool for ages 3-5 years. Parents participate six to nine days per semester. Adult-child ratio 1:4. 3-year-olds meet Tues. & Thurs. 9:15-11:30 a.m. (\$150 per 16-week semester); 4- & 5-year-olds meet Mon., Wed., & Fri. 9:15-11:30 a.m. (\$225 per 16-week semester). Open Sept.-May only. B.A., TT, 113, G4

**Huron Hills Nursery**, 3150 Glazier Way. 769-6293. Preschool with Christian atmosphere for ages 3-5 years, three or five days per week. Young fives program offered. Adult-child ratio 1:8. Three-day program \$586.50 per semester. Open 9-11:30 a.m. B.A., TT, 114, G4

**Sonshine Nursery**, 1717 Broadway. 913-0734. Preschool for ages 3 & 4 years. Adult-child ratio 1:5. Open house in March or April. \$245 per semester with parental participation. \$395 per semester without parental participation. Open Mon., Wed., & Fri. 9-11:15 a.m. during the school year only. B.A., TT, 115, F3

**Stone School Cooperative Nursery**, 2601 Packard. 971-4820. Parent-involved preschool for ages 3-5 years. Adult-child ratio 1:5. Parents assist in class about five to seven times per semester. 3- & 4-year-olds meet two half-days per week (\$360 per year); 4- & 5-year-olds meet three half-days per week (\$535 per year). Summer program available for additional charge. B.A., TT, 116, F7

**Triangle Cooperative Nursery**, 1432 Washtenaw (First Presbyterian Church). 761-7688. Parent-involved co-op preschool for ages 3-5 years. Parents assist in class four to seven times per semester. Adult-child ratio 1:5. Open house in March. 3-year-olds meet Tues. & Thurs. 9-11:45 a.m. (\$190 per semester); 4- & 5-year-olds meet Mon., Wed., & Fri. 9-11:45 a.m. (\$255 per semester). Open Sept.-May only. B.A., 117, E5

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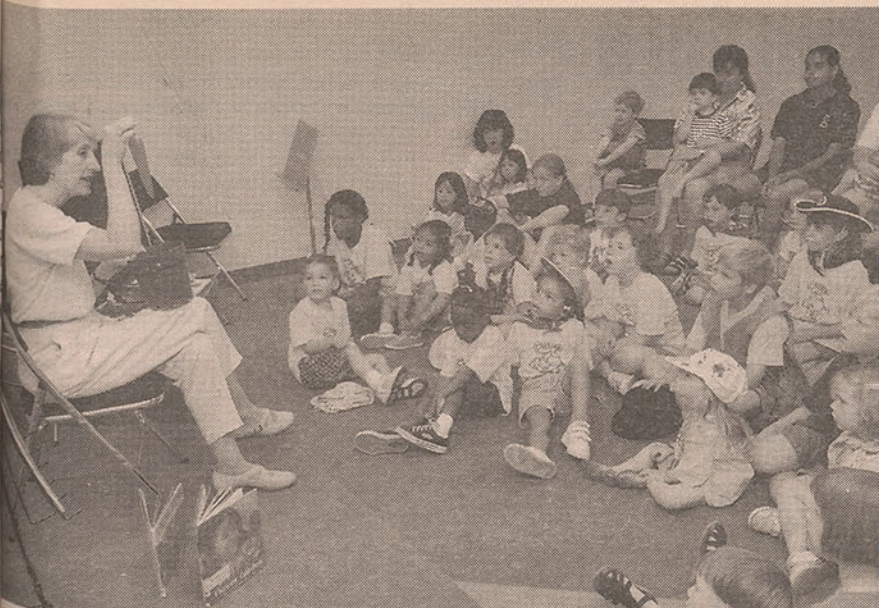
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**Waldorf Preschool**, 6713 Warren. 930-2628. Preschool for ages 3 1/2-5 years. Adult-child ratio 1:6. Teacher is Waldorf- and state-trained. Meets Mon.-Thurs. 9 a.m.-noon, Sept.-June. Call for fees. B.A., TT, 120, II

## RESOURCES FOR PARENTS

**Community Action on Substance Abuse**, P.O. Box 2814, AA 48106. 995-3782, 973-7892. This volunteer grassroots organization offers a five-week parenting education workshop series, based on the work of H. Stephen Glenn, to help parents enhance their parenting skills and raise capable, healthy children. Low fee; scholarships available.

**Learning Disabilities Association of Michigan-Washtenaw County Chapter**. 973-1414. Education and information group for parents and professionals as well as support groups for parents of children and young adults with learning disabilities.

**Student Advocacy Center**, 2301 Platt. 973-7860, fax: 973-7864. Assists the families of public school children, K-12, who are eligible for regular and special education services to resolve school-related problems. No fee. E-mail: sadv@aol.com

**Voyagers Homeschooling Support Group**. Ecumenical Christian support group for home-educating families. Cooperative structure offers field trips, newsletter, parent discussions, enrichment classes for children. Call Michelle Kazanjian (994-3148) for information.

**Washtenaw Area Council for Children**, 920 Miller. 761-7071. Educates public on child abuse and neglect issues. Local council for the Children's Trust Fund, a state-level agency. Compiles the *Parenting Resource Directory*, a guide to services for children in Washtenaw County.

**Washtenaw Camp Placement Association**, 2378 E. Stadium, Suite 107. 971-4537. This organization provides financial assistance to at-risk, low-income, Washtenaw County children grades 4 and up to attend summer residence camp. Seven area camps participate. Applications available through the Camp Placement Office and at all area schools.

**Washtenaw County Alliance for Gifted Education**, Washtenaw Intermediate School District, 1819 S. Wagner. Call Sandy Trosien, 994-8100, ext. 1102, or Barb Chamness,

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**Ann Arbor Art Center**, 117 W. Liberty. 994-8004. Classes and workshops for youths ages 4-18 are offered quarterly. Courses include clay work, drawing, painting, mixed media, and more. Youth class fees are \$30-\$60, including materials. Children of all ages are welcome to drop in at **ArtVentures Workshop** to learn about world art and culture through hands-on activities. (Children under 5 must be accompanied by an adult.) \$4 admission for all ages; stay as long as you want. Unaccompanied kids pay \$4/hour (two-hour limit). **ArtVentures birthday parties** cost \$5 per participant. Call for project information and to make group or party reservations. Studio open Tues.-Thurs. 1-5 p.m., Fri. 1-9 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.-6 p.m., Sun. noon-5 p.m. Special hours when school is out.

**Ann Arbor Community Center**, 625 N. Main. 662-3128. After-school programs incorporating tutoring, counseling, and recreation are offered for grades 1-5, Oct.-May.

**PAVE** (Preventive AIDS and Violence Education), a support and discussion group for young African-American men ages 14-17, meets at times to be arranged. Art classes and other recreational activities are offered during the summer for children ages 6-13. An eight-week day camp held at Clear Lake provides summer recreation for ages 6-11. **T'ween Teen**, an eight-week summer day camp for 12- & 13-year-olds, offers educational and life skills activities along with recreation. Call for class and day camp fees (scholarships available). Support groups are free.

**Ann Arbor District Library**, 343 S. Fifth Ave. 327-8301 (youth department). **Drop-in Storytimes** (age 3 and up) are offered year-round at the main library and periodically throughout the year at branch libraries. **Tot Storytime** (for 2-year-olds) is offered during the school year by registration only. **Preschool Storytimes** (age 3 and up) are scheduled throughout the school year at branch libraries. Call for exact times or watch the Observer Events listings for registration information. Special-request storytelling for groups is available year-round at all library fa-

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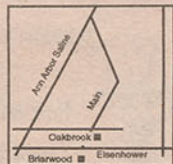
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**Ann Arbor Public Schools Community Education and Recreation**, 2765 Boardwalk. 994-2300. After-school and summer classes for infants through teens include art, cooking, crafts, dance, drama, gymnastics, languages, martial arts, music, science, swimming, and tennis. **Summer playground and day camp programs** offer games, crafts, and other activities. Special recreation program with arts, games, and physical activities for young people with developmental or physical disabilities. Also sponsors the annual youth **Arborough Games** (994-2300, ext. 371) in August with Ann Arbor's sister city, Peterborough, Ontario. Brochures, available quarterly from Rec & Ed, list fees, times, and types of classes. Also see listing under Youth Sports, below.

**Ann Arbor School for the Performing Arts**, 4090 Geddes (in the Titus Bldg. of Concordia College). 995-4625. Classes for ages beginning at 18 months: Kindermusik, Music for Children, the Joy of Music, Music Theory, Intro to Voice. Private instruction is available in piano, voice, woodwinds, strings, brass, percussion, organ, classical and pop guitar. Jazz Ensemble Program for players of all levels. Chamber Music groups for string, woodwind, or brass players of any age. Large ensembles include Youth, Intermediate, and Junior String Orchestras (grades 3-9), Michigan Children of SCORE (String, Choral, Orff, Recorder Ensemble) for ages 9-12, and the Adult Chamber Orchestra. 15-week semesters for classes and ensembles begin Sept. 17 & Jan. 26. Private instruction at any time. Instruction is at Concordia and other locations around Ann Arbor. Call for catalog.

**Ann Arbor Suzuki Institute**, 1451 Bemidji. 995-2099. Nonprofit organization promotes the Suzuki method of music instruction for children, primarily on strings, piano, flute, and guitar. Weekly classes, monthly recitals by school semester for ages 3-18. Referrals. Varying fees.

**Ann Arbor YMCA**, 350 S. Fifth Ave. 663-0536. Youth classes, including art, baby-sitting, cartooning, ceramics, chess, and woodcrafts. Classes in ballet, jazz, tap, and creative dance. A fitness program that focuses on strength training and a weight-loss program are available for teens. Many classes for preschoolers, with or without parent participation, ranging from story time and play to movement and aquatics. Summer camps include residence camp at **Camp Al-Gon-Quian** in northern Michigan (ages 8-15) and day camp at **Camp Birkett** (ages 6-12). **Explorer Ann Arbor** (ages 6-12) and **Explor-Arts and Sports** camps (ages 6-12) are offered at the YMCA. A

catalog describing all YMCA classes, times, and fees is mailed before each session. YMCA members and to individuals who can request inclusion on a mailing list. Catalogs also available at the Ann Arbor District Library. Discounts for YMCA members. Child Care Programs, above, for information on special events and school break child care. Also see listing under Youth Sports, below.

**Ann Arbor Young Actors Guild**, P.O. Box 130202, AA 48113-0202. 930-1614. A production company and resource for education through theater, in partnership with the Ann Arbor Public Schools and with the U-M Theater and Drama department. There are three resident companies: the **Lights Up Company** (age 15-adult), the **Pocket Company** for experimental works (age 15-adult), and the **Apprentice Company** (two levels for ages 8-14 as well as the **Fast Fable Company**, a traveling theater troupe for ages 7-12. Faculty includes accredited teachers in theater arts, university professors, and theater professionals. Classes, workshops, and full-scale production in a variety of theatrical styles. Full summer program. Call for fees and schedules.

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**Boy Scouts of America Great Sauk Trail Council**, 1979 Huron Pkwy. 971-7100. Indoor and outdoor activities for Cub Scouts (grades 1-5) and leadership activities for Boy Scouts (grades 6-12). Call for a referral to a troop in your area.

**Boychoir of Ann Arbor**, 306 N. Division Ave. 663-5377. Thomas Strode directs this formal 40-member choir for boys 9-14, founded in the tradition of European cathedral music. Performs frequently throughout the year, including concerts with local and regional symphony orchestras. Some traveling. Auditions in April. Also a preparatory choir for boys 8-10. Tuition: \$15 per semester, two semesters per year.

**Bryant Community Center** (Department of Parks and Recreation), 3 W. Eden. 994-2777. Offers supervised after-school recreation at Bryant Elementary School, holiday socials, classes, crafts, and weekend field trips. Sponsors a summer day camp featuring swimming, computers, art, games, and group travel to interesting places such as the Toledo Zoo. Offers a teen club for middle- and high-school students. Call for fee (scholarships available) and schedule information.

**Children's Chess Club**. Call John Smalek 665-0612. Young people 17 and under are invited to play chess with their peers in an informal setting. Sets provided. Annual membership \$49, or \$3 per session. Meets Thurs. 3:30-5 p.m., at Adventures in Chess Studio, 220 S. Main. (below Mainstreet News).

**Clearspace Theater Company**, 1027 S. Forest. Call Rosemarie Hester, 996-3964. Sponsor summer musical theater camp for young people ages 9-15, producing a festival of original musicals. Call for fee and schedule information.

**Cobblestone Farm**, 2781 Packard. 994-2928. This city-owned historic farm re-creates mid-nineteenth-century rural life. Full- and half-day summer camps give children experience in such pioneer activities as building a log cabin, dyeing yarn, and making rock candy (fee \$56-\$157). On **Living History Days**, held the first Sunday of each month, adults and children can watch demonstrations of candle making, weaving, baking, and harvesting. Cobblestone Farm also sponsors three special festivals annually: a **Fall Harvest** (Sept. 28, 1-5 p.m.), a **Country Christmas** (Dec. 7 & 14, 1-5 p.m.), and a **Winter Evening** (Feb. 13, 6-8 p.m.). Admission: children and seniors, \$1; adults, \$1.50. Special festivals: \$2/person. Open Fri. & Sun. 1-4 p.m., Memorial Day through Labor Day.



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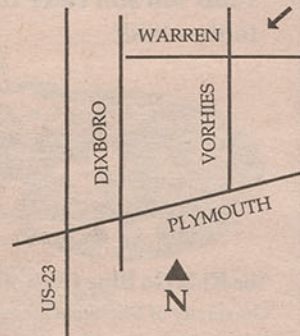
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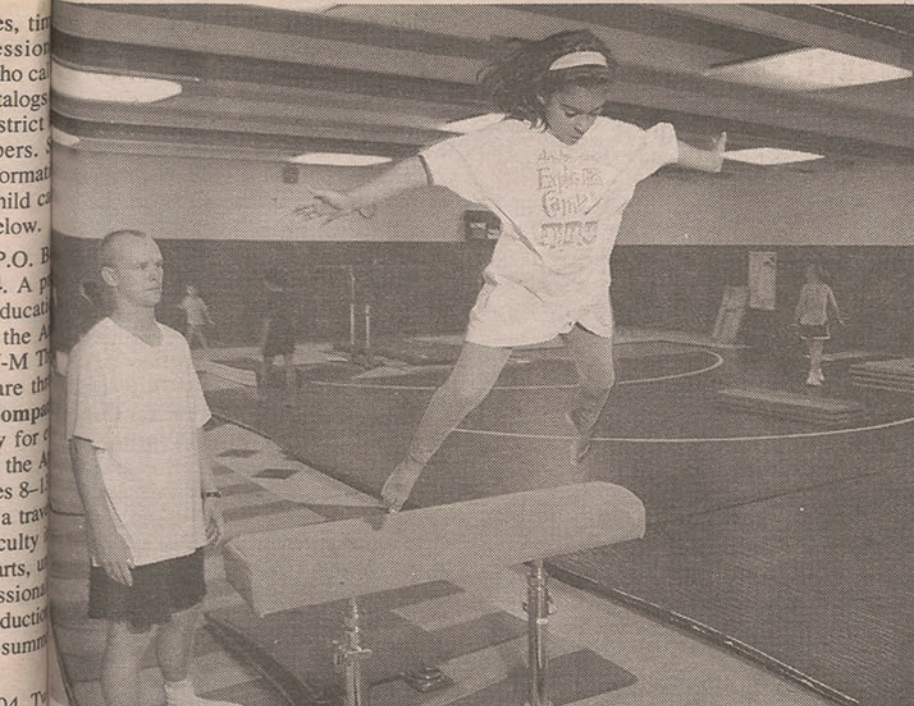
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**Community Leaning Post**, 211 N. Fourth Ave. 769-0288. A nonprofit organization of tutoring elementary, middle, and high school students in a variety of fields. Family nights integrate students, parents, and teachers into learning motivation teams. Organizes community family workshops focusing on promoting community and family relationships. All programs are free (donations welcome).

**Dance Studios**. Many private studios offer dance instruction. For a full listing, see the Yellow Pages.

**Domino's Petting Farm**, 1 Barnyard Bend, off Earhart. 930-5032, 998-0182. Animal shows 11:30 a.m. and 1 & 3 p.m. Kids invited to pet lambs, goats, pigs, sheep, chickens, peacocks, ducks, and a calf. Mon.-Fri. 9:30 a.m.-4 p.m., Sat. & Sun. 10:30 a.m.-4 p.m. Admission is \$2.50/person (under age 2 free) and includes a hayride and an animal show.

**Huron Valley Girl Scout Council**, 1900 Manchester, P.O. Box 969, AA 48106. 971-8800, (800) 49-SCOUT. Five age divisions for girls ages 5-18. Activities include camping, career exploration, and service projects which help to develop leadership and decision-making skills. Call for information on volunteering or to join or start a troop.

**Jewish Community Center**, 2935 Birch Hollow. 971-0990. After-school enrichment classes for grades K-5 offer art, dance, sports, karate, and gymnastics instruction. **Raanana Day Camp** and **Camp Keshet** provide summer recreation. **Family Fun Days** combine adult and child recreation. Sponsors **Kids' Night Out (Parents' Night Off)**, Saturday night programming for ages 5-10, and **Saturday Nightline** for ages 11-13. Also offers a chess club and several programs for teens, including a **High Adventure Club** for adventurous outdoor enthusiasts. Call for fee and schedule information. Classes open to all; members pay reduced fees. Also see Youth Sports below.

**Junior Theater/Strolling Players**. 994-2300, ext. 227. A performing theater company for students in grades 6-12 cosponsored by Community Education and Recreation and the Ann

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**Leslie Science Center**, 1831 Traver. 662-7802. A 50-acre nature preserve of fields, woods, prairie, pond, and Critter Room, the Center is the setting for natural and environmental science activities for children and their families. Programs include Kid Science, school field trips, overnights and day programs for Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts, summer day camps, birthday parties, and weekend programs and festivals. Call for a copy of the center's newsletter, which provides class schedules, fees, and center updates.

**Peace Neighborhood Center**, 1111 N. Maple. 662-3564. An after-school program for elementary schoolchildren offers tutoring and special-interest clubs. Also, a career exploration program, homework help, counseling, health seminars, teen recreation, and drug prevention and rehabilitation programs. Summer day camp for elementary school kids and a comprehensive information and referral service also available. All activities are free. E-mail: PNCfamily@aol.com

**Scrap Box**, 521 State Circle. 994-4420. Children preschool age and older can browse through a warehouse of surplus stuff, filling a grocery bag (\$3.50 per bag) with fun junk and scrap materials to use in their own craft projects at home. The Scrap Box is available for birthday parties or field trips by appointment. Open Tues. 10 a.m.-6 p.m., Thurs. 2-6 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Call for extended hours.

**Swing City Dance Studio**, 1960 South Industrial. 668-7782, 995-3635. Adult and teenage dance ensembles perform tap, Appalachian clogging, and Scottish highland dancing for kids in schools, day care facilities, and community organizations. Lecture-demonstrations are designed to get kids dancing. Call for fees. Friday Family Fun Nights, held twice a month (call for schedule), feature theme dances for families with children of all ages. Fun, relaxed atmosphere, all dances taught, refreshments served. \$5 per family, 7 p.m.

**University of Michigan School of Music Instructors**. 764-0583. Maintains a list of School of Music graduate students who give lessons in voice and a variety of instruments. Call for a referral. Cost of lessons varies.

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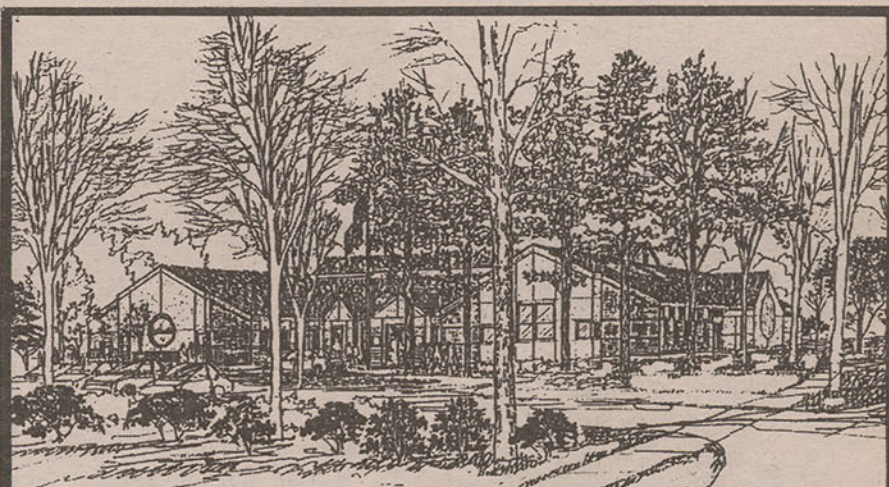
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**Washtenaw County MSU Extension**, 400 Washtenaw. 971-0079. 4-H youth program for ages 6-19 cover many special interests, including arts, crafts, horses, animal care, gardening, nutrition, natural resources, and career development. Also, numerous community outreach programs for at-risk youth. No membership fees; sponsors costs for activities. E-mail: washtenaw@msue.msu.edu

**Young People's Theater**, 2301 Packard. 971-3888. Offers theater workshops for ages 7 through high school and theater productions age 7 through high school. Students learn all aspects of the theater, including acting, directing, choreography, lighting, sound, and costume design. Summer performance program also available. Call for fees. Scholarships available.

### YOUTH SPORTS

Sports are listed alphabetically by activity. For information on adult sports, see Recreation, 129. For youth dance groups, see Kids' Activities, above. A map of local parks is on p. 131.

### UMBRELLA ORGANIZATIONS

Five main organizations sponsor extensive sports programs for kids: **Ann Arbor Public Schools Community Education and Recreation** (Rec & Ed), 2765 Boardwalk, 971-2300; the **Ann Arbor YMCA**, 350 S. Packard Ave., 663-0536; the **City of Ann Arbor Parks and Recreation**, Guy C. Larcom Bldg. (City Hall), sixth floor, 994-2780 or www.ann-arbor.mi.us (Web site contains information on 140 city parks and 14 recreation facilities); the **Jewish Community Center (JCC)**, 25 Birch Hollow, 971-0990; the **Washtenaw County Parks and Recreation**, 2960 Washtenaw, 971-6337.

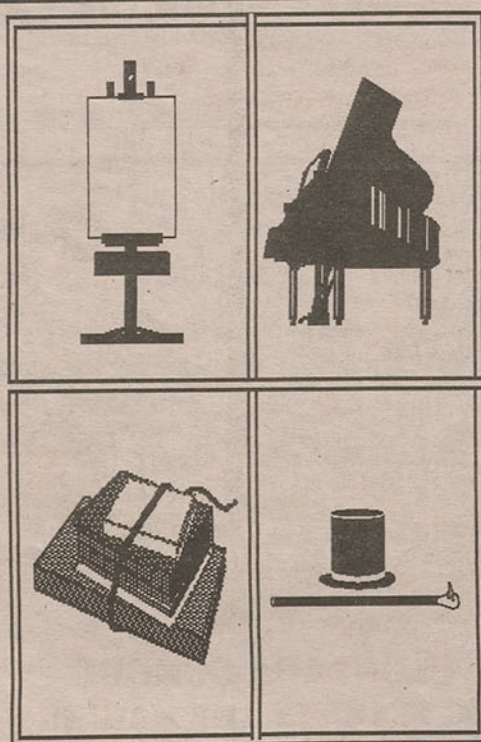
Washtenaw County Parks and Recreation maintains two facilities, the **County Recreation Building**, 2960 Washtenaw, and the **Rolling Hills County Park**, at 7660 Stony Creek (484-7669). The recreation building houses a wide variety of indoor fitness facilities and home to badminton, floor hockey, and volleyball, as well as an indoor track. Rolling Hills offers a range of activities from a water slide (\$3-\$4) during the summer months to ice skating and cross-country skiing during the winter months. Entry fees vary according to the day of the week but range from \$2 to \$6 per car, but higher. Annual passes are \$18 (county residents), \$36 (nonresidents). Rolling Hills offers skis (\$4-\$5 per two hours). No skate rental.

Fees for most Rec & Ed programs are in the \$50-\$70 range. Class fees at the Ann Arbor YMCA are based on membership. A typical eight-week class ranges from \$16 for members to \$70 for nonmembers. Unless otherwise specified, plan to register at least one month before starting dates for Y classes or leagues. Jewish Community Center fees for youth sports are based on membership and type of program. Fees range from \$35 to \$90 per semester depending on class.

### GENERAL

The **Jewish Community Center** (971-0990) offers Sports Sampler, an introduction to team sports, skill development, and related games for ages 5-7. Call for fees. **Rec & Ed** (971-2300, ext. 234) offers sports camps with a variety of team and individual sports for grades K-12. Call for fees. **Washtenaw County Parks**

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and Recreation (971-6337) offer drop-in child services for various sports. Call for fees.

## BASEBALL

**Rec & Ed** (994-2300, ext. 222) offers coach-pitch leagues for grades 1-3, as well as baseball and softball leagues for girls and boys in grades 4-9. Registration is in mid-April and the season begins the first Saturday after school and is out in June.

## BASKETBALL

**Instructional basketball** is offered at the Ann Arbor YMCA (663-0536) from September through May for boys and girls ages 5-12 years. Leagues are also offered for all ages. **Rec & Ed** (994-2300, ext. 234) also offers basketball classes in the fall and winter for youths in grades 3-5, and the JCC (971-0990) has year-round classes and periodic clinics. Call for fees. **Rec & Ed** (994-2300, ext. 222) sponsors basketball leagues in the winter for all ages. Registration is at the end of October. The season starts in early January.

## FENCING

The Ann Arbor YMCA (663-0536) teaches students age 12 and up instructional and competitive fencing year-round.

## FIELD HOCKEY

**Rec & Ed** (994-2300, ext. 222) sponsors field hockey leagues for boys and girls in grades 3-6 in the fall and in grades 3-8 in the spring. Fall season registration is July 14-18 and league play begins September 6. Spring season registration is in February and league play begins in April. The Ann Arbor YMCA (663-0536) offers indoor instructional field hockey classes and leagues for children ages 4-12.

## FITNESS

**Rec & Ed** (994-2300, ext. 233) offers a variety of aerobics classes for teens year-round. The Ann Arbor YMCA (663-0536) offers fitness classes for children ages 4-12.

## FLOOR HOCKEY

**Washtenaw County Parks and Recreation** (971-6337) sponsors floor hockey leagues beginning in January for ages 5-12. Children ages 5 & 6 play Softee Hockey. Games are played on Saturdays. Call for current fee structure and times. The JCC (971-0990) offers floor hockey instruction for ages 7-10. Call for fees and times. The Ann Arbor YMCA (663-0536) offers instructional classes and leagues for youth ages 5-12 years.

## GOLF

The City of Ann Arbor Parks and Recreation (994-2780) offers combined instruction and league golf for ages 8 and up at three skill levels. Locations are Liberty Golf Range, Huron Hills Golf Course, and Leslie Park Golf Course. Registration begins mid-April for Ann Arbor residents and opens for nonresidents about May 1. Classes begin in mid-June; fees vary.

## GYMNASTICS

**Rec & Ed** (994-2300, ext. 233) sponsors gymnastics classes year-round for boys and girls ages 4-14. The Ann Arbor YMCA (663-0536) also offers many levels of gymnastics instruction year-round for age 3 and up.

Two large, private gymnastics centers are located in Ann Arbor. **Gym America** (4611 Platt, 971-1667) offers gymnastics classes for kids age 18 months and up for all levels of experience. A competitive team and a summer camp program are also offered. Call for fee and schedule information. The JCC (971-0990) and a number of day care centers utilize **Gym America on Wheels** to provide instruction for beginning and experienced gymnasts ages 3-10. The **Michigan Academy of Gymnastics** (3630 Plaza, 761-7610) offers four gymnastics programs: preschool movement and gymnastics, developmental gymnastics (beginning through advanced), girls' competitive gymnastics, and cheerleading. Summer camps are

available. Call for tuition.

## HOCKEY (ICE & IN-LINE)

The Ann Arbor Amateur Hockey Association (213-1600, ext. 230) sponsors numerous age-group hockey leagues for boys and girls ages 4-17 year-round. Play is at the Ann Arbor Ice Cube and Veterans Ice Arena. Fees start at \$250 per player. The City of Ann Arbor Parks and Recreation (994-2780) offers hockey instruction for beginners ages 6-12 in the fall through the instructional skating program. Drop-in hockey is available at Buhr Park from November through March, weather permitting. Call for specific times; drop-in youth cost is \$2.25. **Parks and Rec** also offers new in-line hockey leagues in the summer at Buhr for ages 7-14. The fee is \$75. The **Jewish Community Center** (971-0990) will offer a roller hockey clinic in September. **Wideworld Sports Center** (2140 Oak Valley, 913-4625) offers fall and spring indoor roller hockey leagues for children ages 8-18. Cost to join a preexisting team is \$85/person (includes jersey) for a twelve-week sessions. The **J. D. Jeffrey Arena** (3990 Jackson, 997-RINK) is an indoor in-line skating rink offering regular in-line skating, in-line hockey leagues and camps, and lessons.

## ICE SKATING

**Instructional skating** for preschoolers through adults is offered at Veterans Memorial Park Ice Arena (761-7240) through the City of Ann Arbor Parks and Recreation from September through the spring. The city also has skating lessons for beginning or intermediate-level school-age children at the Buhr Park outdoor ice rink (971-3228) during the winter. The **Ann Arbor Figure Skating Club** (call 213-6768, 8 a.m.-1 p.m.) and the City of Ann Arbor Parks and Recreation (994-2780) provide instruction for ages 4 and up at the Ice Cube and at Veterans Memorial Ice Arena. Call for fees and class offerings. Open skating is available at Veterans, Buhr Park, Yost Ice Arena (U-M), Rolling Hills County Park, the Ann Arbor Ice Cube, and at other parks around the city. (See Recreation, p. 129.)

## MARTIAL ARTS

The Ann Arbor YMCA (663-0536) offers classes in many levels of aikido, tae kwon do, judo, Tibetan martial arts, and karate for youths age 6 and up year-round. Tae kwon do for families is also offered year-round. **Rec & Ed** (994-2300, ext. 233) offers tae kwon do and jujitsu classes year-round for beginning and experienced youths ages 6-14. The **Jewish Community Center** (971-0990) offers instruction in Korean-style karate for youths age 6 and up. Call for fees.

Ann Arbor also has many private martial arts studios. See the Yellow Pages for a complete list.

## SLEDDING & TOBOGGANING

The City of Ann Arbor Parks and Recreation recommends sledding at Burns, Buhr, Leslie, and Veterans Memorial parks, and at Huron Hills and Leslie Park golf courses (please avoid the greens). Burns Park provides a small hill for younger children. All sites are unsupervised. Sledding is not allowed in Nichols Arboretum.

## SOCCER

**Rec & Ed** (994-2300, ext. 217) sponsors fall and spring soccer leagues for boys and girls in grades 1-8. Registration for the fall is held in July and the season begins in September. Spring registration is held in February and play begins in April. The **Ann Arbor Youth Soccer Association**, 2301 Packard, 662-2972, also offers competitive house leagues for ages 4-18 in the spring and fall, competitive boys' and girls' travel teams for ages 9-18, and an instructional league for ages 5-7 in the spring, summer, and fall. Registration for the house leagues takes place June 15-Aug. 1 & Jan. 15-Mar. 1. Registration for the travel teams is by open tryout, usually in early summer. Registration for the instructional program occurs in late April for

spring play, late June for summer play, and late August for fall play. Call Mon.-Fri. 11 a.m.-4 p.m. for registration and fee information. The Ann Arbor YMCA (663-0536) offers fall, winter, and spring leagues for all ages and instructional soccer for youth ages 4-12. **Wideworld Sports Center** (2140 Oak Valley, 913-4625) offers fall and spring league soccer play to children ages 8-18. Cost to join a preexisting team is \$65/person for an eight-week session. A six-week instructional soccer session is available for \$50 to children ages 4-6. The center also offers a Kids Camp in the summer, a week-long session teaching soccer, basketball, floor hockey, and volleyball.

## SOFTBALL

**Rec & Ed** (994-2300, ext. 222) sponsors summer fast-pitch softball leagues for children in grades 5-12. Registration is in late April, and the season begins the first Monday after school is out. Call for fees. The JCC (971-0990) sponsors springtime softball instruction for ages 7-10. Children's softball diamonds are available at Creal, Las Vegas, Maryfield, Wellington, and Wurster parks. See map in Recreation, p. 129.

## SWIMMING

The City of Ann Arbor Parks and Recreation (994-2780) maintains one indoor pool, Mack Pool, year-round. Outdoor pools are open from Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day at Fuller, Buhr, and Veterans Memorial parks. For locations, hours, and open swim times, see Recreation, p. 129. The **Competitive Swim Program** for ages 8-17 is offered at Fuller Pool during the summer. Preseason conditioning begins in June, and training runs through August. Register at the City of Ann Arbor Parks and Recreation or by mail. **Neighborhood competitive swim teams** for youths age 5 and up provide instruction and competitive meets for swimmers with little or no prior competitive experience. The Buhr Park Sharks, the Veterans Park Dolphins, and the Mack Mantarays swim from mid-June through August. Registration is through the City of Ann Arbor Parks and Recreation. Basic swimming instruction for age 6 months and up is available at Mack Pool from September to June and at Fuller Pool during the summer (\$30 fee). The Ann Arbor YMCA (663-0536) offers swim classes year-round throughout the year for kids from infant beginners over 6 months (shrimps) to advanced swimmers (sharks). A free **Learn to Swim** program is offered every June to all children who have just completed first grade. **Lifeguard training** is available for advanced swimmers. Call for fee and schedule information. **Washtenaw County Parks and Recreation** (971-6337) offers swim classes for all ages, including infants, year-round. Call for current fees. **Rec & Ed** (994-2300, ext. 233) offers instructional swimming classes year-round for children 6 months and up. Classes are held at Clague and Tappan middle schools from September to June. During the summer, classes are held at Buhr, Mack, and Veterans pools as well as Clague and Tappan. Call for fees.

## TENNIS

**Rec & Ed** (994-2300, ext. 233) offers beginning to intermediate tennis instruction for youths in grades 3-9 during the spring and the fall. Instruction for youths in grades K-10 is offered in the summer. Call for fees. Participants can prepare for the citywide junior tennis tournament held in July.

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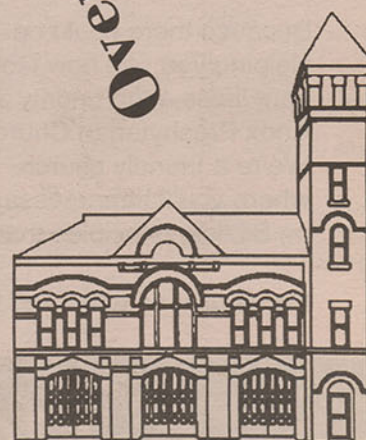
The Ann Arbor YMCA (663-0536) offers instructional and competitive volleyball. Call for ages and schedule.

## YOGA

The Ann Arbor YMCA (663-0536) offers training in yoga for ages 5 & 6 (with parent) and ages 7-15 (without parent), fall through spring. Call for schedule.

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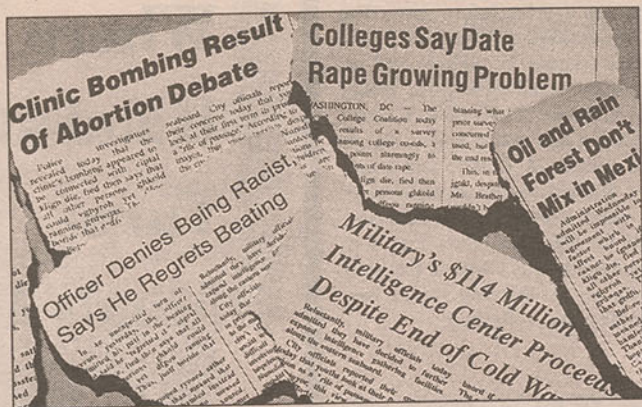


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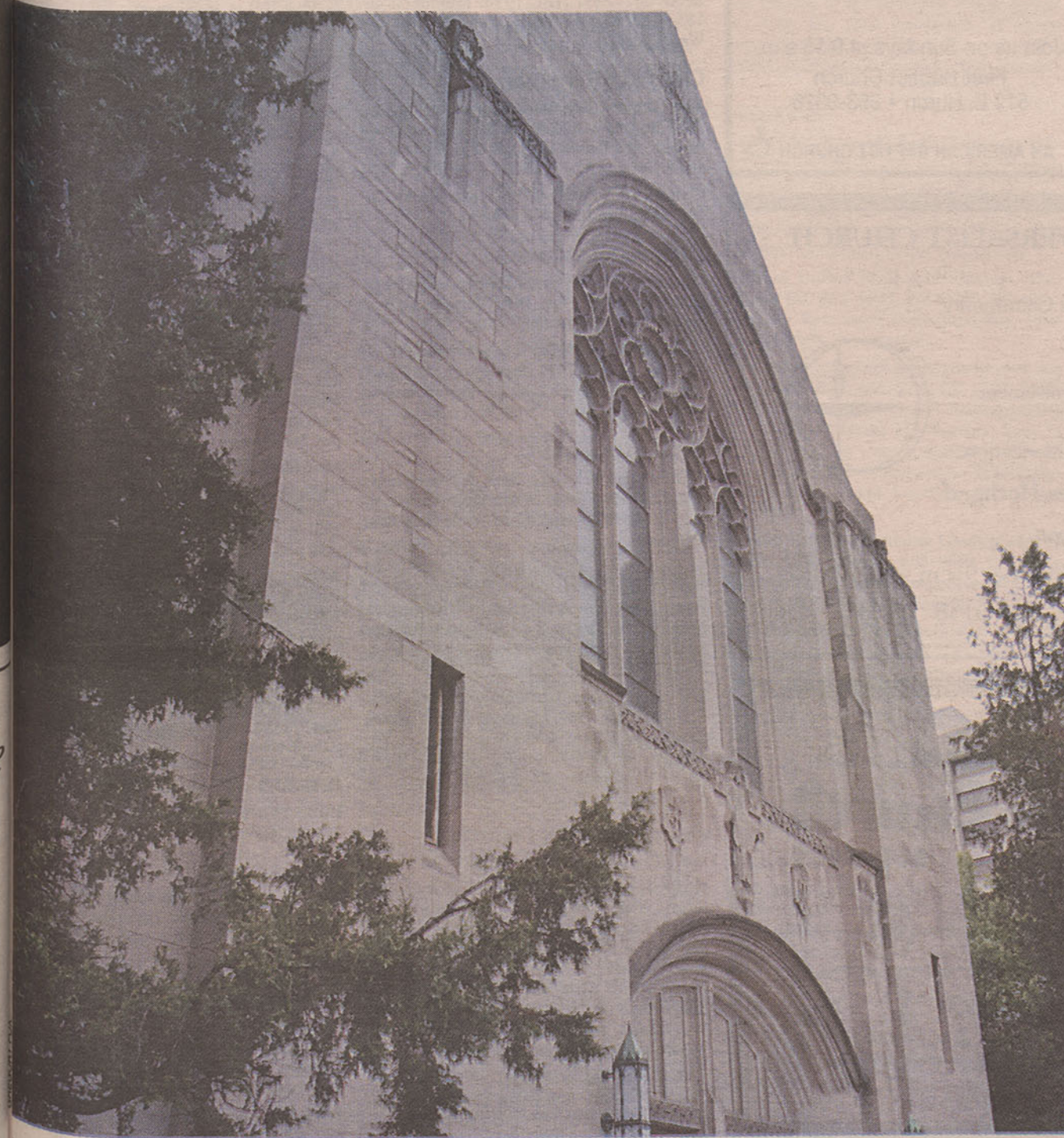


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# RELIGION

*A comprehensive guide to area churches, synagogues, and religious fellowships.*



Listings are in alphabetical order by denomination. Times given are for weekly worship services only; many groups also offer religious instruction and social activities at other times.

## AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL

**Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church**, 900 John A. Woods. 663-3800. Est. 1857. Membership: 700. Rev. Dr. Archie L. Criglar Sr. Sun. 7:45 & 10:45 a.m.

## APOSTOLIC

**New Grace Apostolic Church**, 632 N. Fourth Ave. 761-1530. Est. early 1940s. Membership: 125. Elders Avery Dumas Jr. and Alvin Dumas. Sun. 11:45 a.m. & 4:30 p.m., Wed. & Fri. 7 p.m.

## ASSEMBLY OF GOD

**Assembly of God-Evangel Temple**, 2455 Washtenaw. 769-4157. Est. 1945. Member-

ship: 165. Rev. Joseph Szyc. Sun. 10:30 a.m., Wed. 7 p.m.

**New Life Assembly of God**, 2118 Ann Arbor-Saline Rd. 665-3899. Est. 1990. Membership: 70. Rev. Philip Cambers. Sun. 10 a.m. & 6 p.m., Wed. 7 p.m.

## BABA'I

**Spiritual Assembly of the Baha'is of Ann Arbor**, P.O. Box 6021, AA 48106. Est. 1922. Membership: 90. Corresponding secretary Miss D. Van Pelt. Call Patrick Patillo, 930-0477, for information on Deepenings and Firesides.

## BAPTIST

**Ann Arbor Baptist Church**, 2150 S. Wagner. 995-5144. Est. 1979. Membership: 170. Pastor Gary Hirth. Sun. 10 & 11 a.m. and 6 p.m., Wed. 7 p.m. E-mail: aabaptist@provide.net

**Ann Arbor Chinese Christian Church.**

## First United Methodist Church.

668-9128. Est. 1981. Membership: 115. Pastor Wah-Yiu Fu. Services held at First Baptist Church, 512 E. Huron. Sun. 3 p.m. (Chinese and English).

**First Baptist Church of Ann Arbor** (American Baptist Church), 512 E. Huron. 663-9376. Est. 1828. Membership: 300. Rev. George Lambrides. Sun. 9:55 a.m. Includes American Baptist Campus Ministry.

**Huron Hills Baptist Church** (Baptist General Conference), 3150 Glazier Way. 769-6299. Est. 1964. Membership: 300. Senior pastor Donald Gerig, pastors Peter Kolb and Brian Vander Ark. Sun. 9:30 & 11 a.m. (9:30 a.m. only in summer).

**Korean Baptist Church** (Southern Baptist Convention), 3323 Nordman. 677-2490. Est. 1985. Membership: 30. Sun. 11 a.m. (Korean). Translator at services.

**New Hope Baptist Church**, 218 Chapin. 994-4620. Est. 1965. Membership: 550. Dr. Albert J. Lightfoot Jr. Sun. 11 a.m. (6 p.m. communion service first Sun. each month).

**Northside Community Church** (American Baptist Church), 929 Barton. 662-6351. Est. 1956. Membership: 120. Dr. Terence McGinn. Sun. 11 a.m.

**Packard Road Baptist Church** (Southern Baptist Convention), 2580 Packard. 971-0773. Est. 1952. Membership: 600. Pastor Gary Hardin, associate pastor Matt Adams, campus minister Kevin Richardson, youth minister Jill Potter, minister of music Doug Keasal. Sat. 6 p.m., Sun. 9 & 10:30 a.m. and noon.

**Platt Road Missionary Baptist Church**, 3630 Platt. 971-7801. Est. 1960. Membership: 150-200. Rev. Anthony Robinson. Sun. 10:45 a.m.

**Second Baptist Church** (American Baptist Church), 850 Red Oak. 663-9369. Est. 1859. Membership: 350. Rev. Emmett L. Green. Sun. 11 a.m. & 7 p.m. (8 & 11 a.m. in summer).

## BIBLE

**Fellowship Bible Church**, 2775 Bedford. 971-2837. Est. 1981. Membership: 220. Pastor emeritus Dr. Raymond H. Saxe. Sun. 9:30 & 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m., Wed. 7 p.m.

**Grace Bible Church** (Independent Fundamental Churches of America), 1300 S. Maple. 663-0589. Est. 1938. Membership: 300. Pastor Marv Lucas. Sun. 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m., Wed. 7 p.m.

## BUDDHIST

**Jewel Heart Temple** (Tibetan), P.O. Box 7933, AA 48107-7933. Offices at 208 S. Ashley, 994-3387. Est. 1987. Membership: 300. Tibetan incarnate lama Gelek Rinpoche. Meets at 211 E. Ann. Public talks Tues. 7:30 p.m.

**Karma Thegsum Choling** (Tibetan), 614 Miner. 761-7495. Est. 1978. Membership: 10. Melissa Bratcher. Sun. 10 a.m.

**Soka Gakkai International**, 1445 Kuehnle. 665-7565. Est. 1970. Membership: 100. Coordinator Sanford Finsilver. Monthly meetings. Call for dates.

**Zen Buddhist Temple**, 1214 Packard. 761-6520. Est. 1981. Membership: 100. Ven. Samu Sunim, Rev. Sukha Linda Murray. Sun. 9:30 a.m. & 5 p.m.

## CATHOLIC

**Christ the King Church**. 663-2388. Fr. Ed Fride, pastor. Call for Mass information.

**Old St. Patrick's Church**, 5671 Whitmore Lake Rd. 662-8141. Est. 1831. Membership: 715 families. Fr. Terrence J. Dumas. Sat. 4:30 p.m., Sun. 8 & 10:30 a.m.

**St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church**, 2250 E. Stadium. 769-2550. Est. 1950. Membership: 2,600 families. Fr. James McDougall. Sat. 5 p.m., Sun. 7, 8:45, & 10:30 a.m. and 12:15 & 5 p.m. (no Sun. 5 p.m. in summer; resumes Sept. 15), Mon. 7 p.m., Tues. & Thurs. 7 a.m. & 7 p.m., Wed. & Fri. 7 a.m.

**St. Mary's Student Chapel**, 331 Thompson. 663-0557. Est. 1918. Membership: 2,500-3,000. Fr. Thomas Firestone and Fr. Cecilio Reyna. Sat. 5 p.m., Sun. 8:30 & 10 a.m., noon, and 5 & 7 p.m. (call for summer hours), Mon.-Wed. 5:10 p.m., Thurs. & Fri. 12:10 p.m. Web: www.umich.edu/~stmarys





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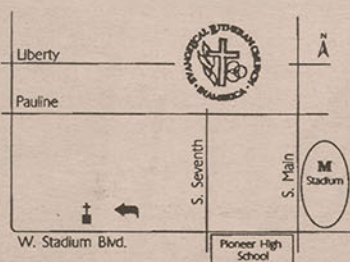
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|                       | 11:15 | Worship                                            |
|                       | 6:00  | Evening Worship                                    |

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## RELIGION

**St. Thomas Catholic Church**, corner N. State and Kingsley. 761-8606. Est. 1835. Membership: 2,275. Fr. Roger Prokop. Sat. 4:30 p.m., Sun. 7:30, 9, & 10:45 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.

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**Scio Community Alliance Church**, 1293 N. Zeeb. 662-7351. Est. 1934. Membership: 135. Rev. Steve Murray. Sun. 10:45 a.m., Wed. 7 p.m.

### CHRISTIAN REFORMED

**Ann Arbor Christian Reformed Church**, 1717 Broadway. 665-0105. Est. 1955. Membership: 135 families. Sun. 8:45 & 11:15 a.m. and 6 p.m.

**Campus Chapel**, 1236 Washtenaw Ct. 668-7421. Est. 1936. Sun. 10 a.m.

### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

**Christian Science Organization**. Call Chuck Olson, 764-1413. Est. 1949. Services held at the Michigan League Sept.-May.

**First Church of Christ, Scientist**, 1833 Washtenaw. 662-7474 (Sunday) or call Reading Room at 306 E. Liberty, 662-1694. Est. 1950. Sun. 10:30 a.m., Wed. 7:30 p.m.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

**Church of Christ**, 530 W. Stadium. 662-2756. Est. 1941. Membership: 200. Sun. 8:30 & 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. Bible class Sun. 5:30 p.m.

### CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

**Fountain Church of God in Christ**, 411 Fountain. 665-5477. Est. 1968. Membership: 60. Elder Samuel Peppers. Sun. 11:15 a.m. & 8 p.m., Tues. & Fri. 8 p.m.

**Labor of Love Church** (Pentecostal), 677-1707. Est. 1982. Membership: 150. Pastor Dr. Charles E. Hawthorne. Sun. 11 a.m. & Fri. 7:30 p.m. at 3350 Textile Rd., Pittsfield Twp. 48197. Neighborhood cell groups, Tues. 7:30 p.m. Call for location.

### CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS (MORMON)

**Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints**, 1385 Green. 663-3699, 668-7795.  
**Ann Arbor Ward**: Est. 1954. Membership: 535. Bishop Dr. Robb Mayo, 429-5957 (5653 Blue Grass Ct., Saline 48176). Sun. 9 a.m.  
**Huron Valley Ward**: Est. 1987. Membership: 540. Bishop Dr. Dave Ulrich, 996-2317 (3108 W. Dobson, AA 48105). Sun. 1 p.m. Note: wards switch service times in January.

**Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints**, 914 Hill. Ann Arbor Institute of Religion (Campus Ministry), Steve Headquist, 668-7795. Est. 1989. Membership: 191. Branch president of worship Wayne Brockbank, 668-6149. Sun. 10 a.m.

### CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

**First Church of the Nazarene**, 2780 Packard. 971-6723. Est. 1944. Membership: 85. Pastor Tom Humphreys. Sun. 10 a.m. & 6 p.m., Wed. 7 p.m.

**Honey Creek Church of the Nazarene**, 5700 Jackson. 761-5941. Est. 1990. Membership: 60. Rev. Bob Moulding. Sun. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m., Wed. 7 p.m.

### CONGREGATIONAL

**First Congregational Church**, 608 E. William. 662-1679. Est. 1847. Membership: 750. Rev. Robert K. Livingston. Sun. 10:30 a.m. service, 10 a.m. communion (10 a.m. service, 9:30 a.m. communion in summer).

### DISCIPLES OF CHRIST

**Memorial Christian Church**, 730 Tappan.

662-4245. Est. 1891. Membership: 160. Pastor Stephen J. Miller. Sun. 10:45 a.m. (10 a.m. summer).

### EPISCOPAL

**Episcopal Church of the Incarnation**, 665-4734. Est. 1984. Membership: 140. Pastors Revs. Joe Summers and Jennifer Walters. Services held at David Byrd Chapel, 35 Lohr (call for directions). Sun. 10:30 a.m.

**St. Aidan's Episcopal Church**, 1679 Broadway. 663-5503. Est. 1963. Membership: 140. Rev. Susan McGarry. Sun. 8:30 & 11 a.m. (8:30 & 10 a.m. in summer).

**St. Andrew's Episcopal Church**, 306 N. Vision. 663-0518. Est. 1827. Membership: 1,200. Rev. John S. Nieman. Sun. 8 & 10 a.m., Tues. 10 a.m., Wed. 7 a.m., Thurs. 5:30 p.m., Fri. 12:15 p.m. Web: [www-personal.umd.edu/~lansdale/andrew/andrew.html](http://www-personal.umd.edu/~lansdale/andrew/andrew.html)

**St. Clare's Episcopal Church**, 2309 Packard. 662-2449. Est. 1953. Membership: 500. Rev. Douglas Evett and Susan Bock. Sun. 8:10:15 a.m.

### INDEPENDENT

**Briarwood Baptist Church**, 7950 Warren. 662-7036, 665-0678. Est. 1973. Membership: 75. Pastor Larry Mattis. Sun. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.

**Christian Life Church**, 343 S. Main, Suite 200. 995-2714. Est. 1985. Membership: 50. Pastor Mike Pape. Services held at the Boeing Auditorium in the FXB Building on U-M North Campus. Sun. 11 a.m. Call for additional services.

**Greater Faith Christian Center**, P.O. Box 7193, AA 48107. 971-2388. Est. 1979. Membership: 30. Pastor Joseph L. Frye. Services held at 3100 Platt Rd. Sun. 10:30 a.m., Wed. 6:30 p.m.

**Korean Bible Church of Ann Arbor**, 427 Packard. 973-2454. Est. 1983. Membership: 200. Rev. Seung Yoon Choi. Sun. 10 a.m. (English) & 11:30 a.m. (Korean).

**Korean Church of Ann Arbor** (Hope Evangelical Chapel), 3301 Creek. 971-9777. Est. 1968. Membership: 180. Pastor Hosik Woo. Sun. 9:30 a.m. (English) and 11 a.m. & 7:30 p.m. (Korean).

### INTERDENOMINATIONAL

**Bible Tabernacle Church**, 825 N. Maple. 769-2034, 665-3027. Est. 1954. Membership: 80. Rev. Samuel Johnson. Sun. 10 a.m. & 6 p.m., Tues. & Thurs. 7:30 p.m.

**Chinese Christian Fellowship Church**, P.O. Box 3188, AA 48106. 481-1633, 971-8484. Est. 1983. Membership: 80-100. Pastor Bernard Ho, 213-1421; elder-minister David Stephen Liu. Services held at EMU University Lutheran Church, 812 Ann, Ypsilanti 48197. Sun. 10:30 a.m.

**Church of Scientology-Ann Arbor**, 2355 W. Stadium. 995-5527. Est. 1974. Membership: 500. Dave Bonnell. Sun. 12:30 p.m.

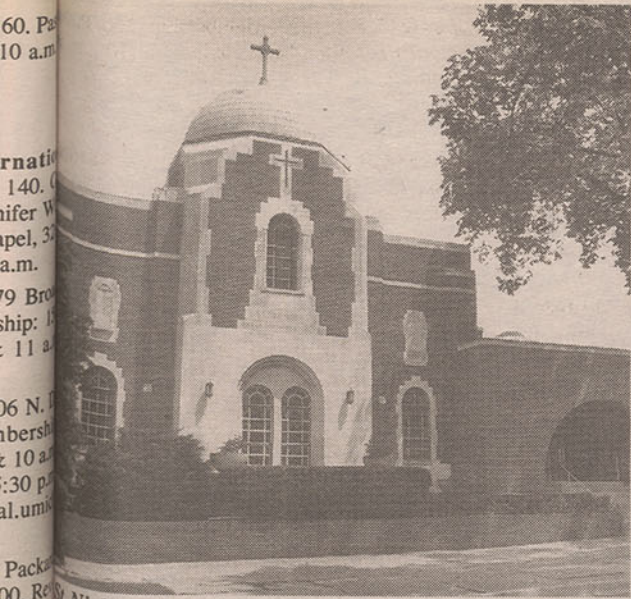
**His House Christian Fellowship**, 925 E. Ann Arbor. 663-0483. Est. 1979. Membership: 50. Campus minister John Sowash. Sun. 6 p.m., Thurs. 7:30 p.m.

**International Student Fellowship**, 4200 Nixon. 994-4669. Est. 1972. Membership: 90. Advisor Paul Champoux. Meetings held at Ann Arbor Christian Reformed Church, 1717 Broadway. Fri. 7:30 p.m. E-mail: [champoux@umich.edu](mailto:champoux@umich.edu)

**Oakwood Church** (Evangelical Free Church), P.O. Box 1968, AA 48106-1968. 994-0676. Est. 1987. Membership: 45. Pastor Ronald Gelaude. Services held at Calvary United Methodist Church, 1415 Miller. Sun. 6 p.m., 2485, AA 48106. 973-9420. Est. 1984. Membership: 250. Revs. Paul and Barbara Yoder. Services at 4600 Scio Church Rd. Sun. 10 a.m., Tues. 7 p.m.

**Unity Church of Ann Arbor**, 4599 Carpenter, Ypsilanti 48197. 434-8545, fax: 434-8544. Est. 1946. Membership: 300. Rev. Scott McClintock. Sun. 10 a.m. Web: [home.earthlink.net/~unity2/](http://home.earthlink.net/~unity2/) E-mail: [unity2@earthlink.net](mailto:unity2@earthlink.net)





St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church.

## ISLAMIC

**Ann Arbor Masjid (Mosque) and Islamic Center**, 2301 Plymouth Rd. 665-6772, 665-8882. Est. 1984. Attendance: 500. Imam O. Pasha Mawafak Al-Ghalayni. Prayers five times daily. Fri. (Jumma) prayers 1:30 p.m. Call for prayer service times.

## JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

**Jehovah's Witnesses Arbor Oaks Congregation**, 2000 Champagne. 973-1887, 971-4610. Est. 1927. Membership: 83. Sun. 10 a.m. & 1 p.m.

**Jehovah's Witnesses Delhi West Congregation**, 2211 N. Maple. 996-1244. Est. 1992. Membership: 100. Sun. 10 a.m. (through end of 1997), 1 p.m. (throughout 1998).

**Jehovah's Witnesses North Maple Congregation**, 2211 N. Maple. 996-1244. Est. 1972. Membership: 115. Sun. 1 p.m. (through end of 1997), 10 a.m. (throughout 1998).

**Jehovah's Witnesses Stadium Congregation**, 2000 Champagne. 973-1887, 971-4610. Est. 1989. Membership: 120. Sun. 10 a.m. & 1 p.m.

## JEWISH

**Ann Arbor Orthodox Minyan**. 994-0650. Est. 1965. Membership: 35 families. Rabbi Rod Glogower. Sabbath services held at Hillel, 1429 Hill. Fri. sunset, Sat. 9:30 a.m. & half-hour before sunset, Sun. 9 a.m., Mon.-Fri. during the academic year, 7:30 a.m. Weekly classes Sat. afternoon and Mon. evening. E-mail: [avavit@umich.edu](mailto:avavit@umich.edu)

**Ann Arbor Reconstructionist Havurah**. 994-0650. Est. 1965. Membership: 35 families. Rabbi Rod Glogower. Sabbath services held at Memorial Christian Church, 730 Tappan, AA 48104, last Fri. of month, 6:30 p.m.

**Beth Israel Congregation (Conservative)**, 2000 Washtenaw Ave. 663-5543, 665-9897. Est. 1916. Membership: 450. Rabbi Robert Dobrusin. Fri. 6 p.m., Sat. 9:30 a.m. Web: [www.hvcn.org/info/bethisrael](http://www.hvcn.org/info/bethisrael) E-mail: [bicaa@provide.net](mailto:bicaa@provide.net)

**Chabad House**, 715 Hill. 995-3276. Est. 1975. Membership: 250. Rabbi Aharon Goldstein, director Esther Goldstein. Fri. sunset, Sat. 10 a.m. & sunset, Sun. 8:30 a.m. Mikvah, library, classes, and Shabbat and holiday meals.

**Hillel Foundation**, 1429 Hill. 769-0500. Est. 1926. Membership: over 3,000. Executive director Michael Brooks. Orthodox Minyan: Fri. sunset & Sat. 9:30 a.m.; Conservative: Fri. sunset; Reform Chavura: Fri. sunset (May-Aug. call for information).

**Jewish Cultural Society/Jewish Cultural School (Secular Humanist)**, 2935 Birch Hollow. 665-5761. Est. 1965. Membership: 110 families. Judith Seid, LCSHJ. Monthly Shabbat observance, youth group, adult programs, and

Sunday school for children. Holidays and life cycle.

**Temple Beth Emeth (Reform)**, 2309 Packard. 665-4744. Est. 1966. Membership: 491. Rabbi Robert Levy. Fri. 8 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m. Family service one Fri. a month at 7:30 p.m. E-mail: [bethemeth@aol.com](mailto:bethemeth@aol.com)

## LUTHERAN

**Cross and Resurrection Lutheran Church (Independent)**, 2614 Page Ct. 973-2582. Est. 1983. Membership: 100. Pastor Ted Jungkuntz. Services held at Seventh Day Adventist Church of Ann Arbor, 2796 Packard. Sun. 10:30 a.m. Sunday school and Bible class 9:30 a.m.

**Darlington Lutheran Church (Wisconsin Synod)**, 3545 Packard. 971-0560. Est. 1944. Membership: 175. Rev. Edward Zell. Sun. 10 a.m. (9:30 a.m. in summer).

**Divine Shepherd Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod)**, 2600 Nixon. 761-7273. Est. 1965. Membership: 140. Pastor Rev. Scott Seidler. Sun. 9:30 a.m.

**King of Kings Lutheran Church (Evangelical Lutheran Church in America)**, 2685 Packard. 971-1417, fax: 971-5011. Est. 1970. Membership: 230. Pastor Dennis Hacker. Sun. 8 & 10:30 a.m. E-mail: [kingking@ic.net](mailto:kingking@ic.net)

**Lord of Light Lutheran Church-U-M Campus Ministry (Evangelical Lutheran Church in America)**, 801 S. Forest. 668-7622. Est. 1917. Membership: 60. Campus pastor John Rolleson. Sun. 10 a.m., Wed. 7 p.m.

**Peace Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod)**, 930-2324. Est. 1993. Membership: 150. Pastor Rev. Larry Courson. Services held at 6105 Jackson (Birchwood West). Sun. 8:30 & 11 a.m.

**Redeemer Lutheran Church and WELS Lutheran Campus Ministry (Wisconsin Synod)**, 1360 Pauline Blvd. 662-0663. Est. 1944. Membership: 140. Pastor Robert Hoepner. Sun. 10:30 a.m. (9:30 a.m. in summer). E-mail: [RLHA2MI@aol.com](mailto:RLHA2MI@aol.com)

**St. Luke Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod)**, 4205 Washtenaw. 971-0550. Est. 1958. Membership: 1,450. Senior pastor David Koch, Revs. Mike Malinski and Mark Schulz. Sat. 5:30 p.m., Sun. 8:15 & 10:45 a.m. (sanctuary) and 10:45 a.m. (great room). Nursery available for all services. Facility air-conditioned and handicapped-friendly.

**St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod)**, 420 W. Liberty. 665-9117. Est. 1908. Membership: 1,315. Revs. Parke Frederick and Thomas Schoech. Sun. 8:15 & 10:45 a.m.

**St. Thomas Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod)**, 10001 W. Ellsworth. 663-7511. Est. 1842. Membership: 119. Pastor Rev. John Kayser. Sun. 10:45 a.m. (9:30 a.m. in summer).

**Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church (Wisconsin Synod)**, 7474 Scio Church. 663-5708. Est. 1833. Membership: 440. Pastor Douglas Hartley. Sun. 10 a.m. (9 a.m. in summer).

**Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church (Evangelical Lutheran Church in America)**, 1400 W. Stadium. 662-4419. Est. 1893. Membership: 1,080. Revs. Nancy Eaton-Reding and Thomas Prochaska. Sun. 8 & 11 a.m. (8:30 & 10:30 a.m. in summer). E-mail: [TRINITYAA@aol.com](mailto:TRINITYAA@aol.com)

**University Lutheran Chapel (Missouri Synod)**, 1511 Washtenaw. 663-5560. Est. 1942. Membership: 75. Rev. Edward Krauss. Sun. 10:30 a.m.

**Zion Lutheran Church (ELCA)**, 1501 W. Liberty. 994-4455. Est. 1833. Membership: 2,400. Pastors A. Dale Truscott and David F.

Bracklein. Sun. 8:30 a.m. traditional worship, 9:45 a.m. education for all ages, & 11 a.m. blended worship (June-Aug., 8:30 a.m. drive-in service & 10 a.m. traditional service), Wed. 7 p.m. contemporary worship.

## MENNONITE

**Ann Arbor Mennonite Church**, 1455 Kelly Green. 996-9198, 996-9518. Est. 1967. Membership: 25. Dr. Chibuzor Ozor. Services held at Arrowwood Community Center, 2566 Arrowwood Tr., Sun. 10 a.m.

**Shalom Community Church: A Mennonite and Church of the Brethren Congregation**. 761-7366. Est. 1974. Participants: 85. Pastor Kathy Neufeld Dunn. Services held at Abbot School, 2670 Sequoia Parkway, Sun. 10 a.m.

## METHODIST

**Ann Arbor Free Methodist Church**, 1951 Newport. 665-6100. Est. 1918. Membership: 50. Pastor Patrick Kelsey. Sun. 10:30 a.m.

**Calvary United Methodist Church**, 1415 Miller. 769-0869. Est. 1926. Membership: 125. Rev. Douglas K. Olsen. Sun. 10 a.m.

**Dixboro United Methodist Church**, 5221 Church Rd. 665-5632. Est. 1858. Membership: 290. Rev. James D. Cochran. Sun. 10:45 a.m. (9:30 a.m. in summer).

**First United Methodist Church of Ann Arbor**, 120 S. State. 662-4536. Est. 1827. Membership: 1,500. Revs. Alfred T. Bamsey, David Eardley, and Marsha M. Woolley. Sun. 11 a.m. (also 9:30 a.m. in summer). **Green Wood**. Est. 1994. Contemporary, child-friendly service Sat. 5 p.m. Location: 1001 Green. 665-8558.

**Korean United Methodist Church of Ann Arbor**, 1526 Franklin. 662-0660. Est. 1981. Membership: 100. Rev. Isaac Shin. Sun. 9:30 a.m. (English) & 11 a.m. (Korean).

**New Beginnings Free Methodist Church**, P.O. Box 130201, AA 48113-0201. 971-8317, 677-6044. Est. 1991. Pastor Jeffery Harold. Services held at the Ann Arbor First Church of the Nazarene, 2780 Packard, Sun. 1 p.m. Bible study Tues. 7 p.m.

**West Side United Methodist Church**, 900 S. Seventh. 663-4164. Est. 1847. Membership: 625. Revs. Gary L. Sanderson and Eric Hammar. Sun. 10 a.m.

## NEO-PAGAN

**Shining Lakes Grove, ADF**, P.O. Box 15585, AA 48106-5585. 434-7444. Est. 1993. Membership: 80. Senior Druid Rev. John Adelman (Fox). Meetings held at Guild House, 802 Monroe, second Thurs. 7-9 p.m.

## ORTHODOX

**Ann Arbor Armenian Church**. 426-3404. Est. 1995. Membership: 50. Deacon in Charge Michael Ohanesian. Meets at St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church, 414 N. Main, first and third Sun. 4 p.m. E-mail: [mangigia@online.emich.edu](mailto:mangigia@online.emich.edu)

**St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church**, 414 N. Main. 769-2945. Est. 1931. Membership: 450. Fr. John Paul. Sun. 10:30 a.m.

## PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD

**New Hope Tabernacle**, 2207 Jackson. 761-7303. Est. 1950. Membership: 50. Pastor Rev. Tim Wise. Sun. 10:30 a.m. & 6 p.m.

## PRESBYTERIAN

**Calvary Presbyterian Church**, 2727 Fernwood. 971-3121. Est. 1946. Rev. Sandra McClinton. Sun. 10 a.m.

**Covenant Presbyterian Church (Evangelical)**. 761-1999. Est. 1982. Participants: 160. Pastor Mark Vanderput. Services held at Clague Middle School, 2616 Nixon. Sun. 9:30 a.m. E-mail: [covenant@rc.net](mailto:covenant@rc.net)

**First Presbyterian Church of Ann Arbor**, 1432 Washtenaw. 662-4466. Est. 1826. Membership: 2,100. Revs. Michael Lindvall,

David Krehbiel, Lynn Barger Elliott, Mark Barger Elliott, and Amy Heinrich. Sun. 8 a.m. (communion), 9:30 & 11 a.m. (no 11 a.m. in summer).

**Knox Presbyterian Church (Evangelical)**. 973-KNOX. Est. 1992. Membership: 400. Pastor Rev. Michael Frison, youth pastor Rev. Tom Robinson. Services held at Tappan Middle School, 2251 E. Stadium, Sun. 9:30 a.m.

**Korean Presbyterian Church of Ann Arbor**, 2141 Brockman. 761-3407, 747-6030. Est. 1982. Membership: 200. Rev. Young Hwan Han. Sun. 6 & 11:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. (Korean), 9:45 a.m. (English).

**Northside Presbyterian Church**, 1679 Broadway. 663-5503. Est. 1964. Membership: 75. Interim Pastor Rev. Barb O'Day. Sun. 11 a.m. (10 a.m. in summer). E-mail: [namaam@aol.com](mailto:namaam@aol.com)

**Westminster Presbyterian Church**, 1914 Greenview Dr. 761-9320. Est. 1955. Membership: 461. Ministers Revs. David Lenz and Melissa Anne May. Sun. 8:45 & 11:15 a.m. (10 a.m. in summer only).

## REFORMED CHURCH IN AMERICA

**University Reformed Church**, 1001 E. Huron. 662-3153. Est. 1959. Membership: 45. Sun. 10:30 a.m. Campus ministry program Sun. 7 p.m. Office at 928 E. Ann. Church parking lot across from office. Web: [www.urc.org](http://www.urc.org)

## REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

**Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints**, 520 W. Jefferson. 761-3082. Est. 1927. Membership: 180. Pastor Ronald Harris. Sun. 11 a.m. (10 a.m. in summer).

## SALVATION ARMY

**The Salvation Army**, 100 Arbana. 668-8353. Est. 1880. Membership: 60-70. Cpts. Gary and Karen Felton. Sun. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m., Wed. 6 p.m.

## SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

**Seventh Day Adventist Church of Ann Arbor**, 2796 Packard. 971-5919. Est. 1899. Membership: 240. Pastor Dan Hall. Sat. 10:50 a.m. & Wed. 7 p.m. Sabbath school classes Sat. 9:30 a.m.

## SOCIETY OF FRIENDS (QUAKER)

**Friends Meetinghouse**, 1420 Hill. 761-7435. Est. 1935. Membership: 122. Co-clerks Jeff Cooper and Peggy Daub. Sun. 10 a.m., Wed. 7 p.m.

## UNITARIAN

**First Unitarian Universalist Church**, 1917 Washtenaw. 665-6158. Est. 1865. Membership: 550. Ministers Revs. Dr. Kenneth W. Phifer and Eva Hochgraf. Sun. 9 & 11 a.m. (no 11 a.m. in summer).

**Unitarian Fellowship**. 1320 Baldwin. President Ralph A. Loomis, 971-8638. Est. 1970. No minister. Meets Sept.-June alternate Sun. 10 a.m.

## UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

**Amistad Community United Church of Christ (African-centered interracial church)**. 971-7626, 6-PRAISE. Est. 1991. Attendance: 45. Rev. Herbert R. Lowe. Sun. 11 a.m. Call for service location.

**Bethlehem United Church of Christ**, 423 S. Fourth Ave. 665-6149. Est. 1833. Membership: 1,300. Pastor Dr. Orval L. E. Willmann, associate pastor William Utke. Sun. 8:30 & 10 a.m.

**Church of the Good Shepherd**, 2145 Independence. 971-6133. Est. 1957. Membership: 88. Christians concerned with the integrity of creation, justice, and peace. An interracial, intercultural faith community. Persons of all sexual orientations welcome. Rev. William D. Ingraham, pastor and teacher. Sun. 10:15 a.m.



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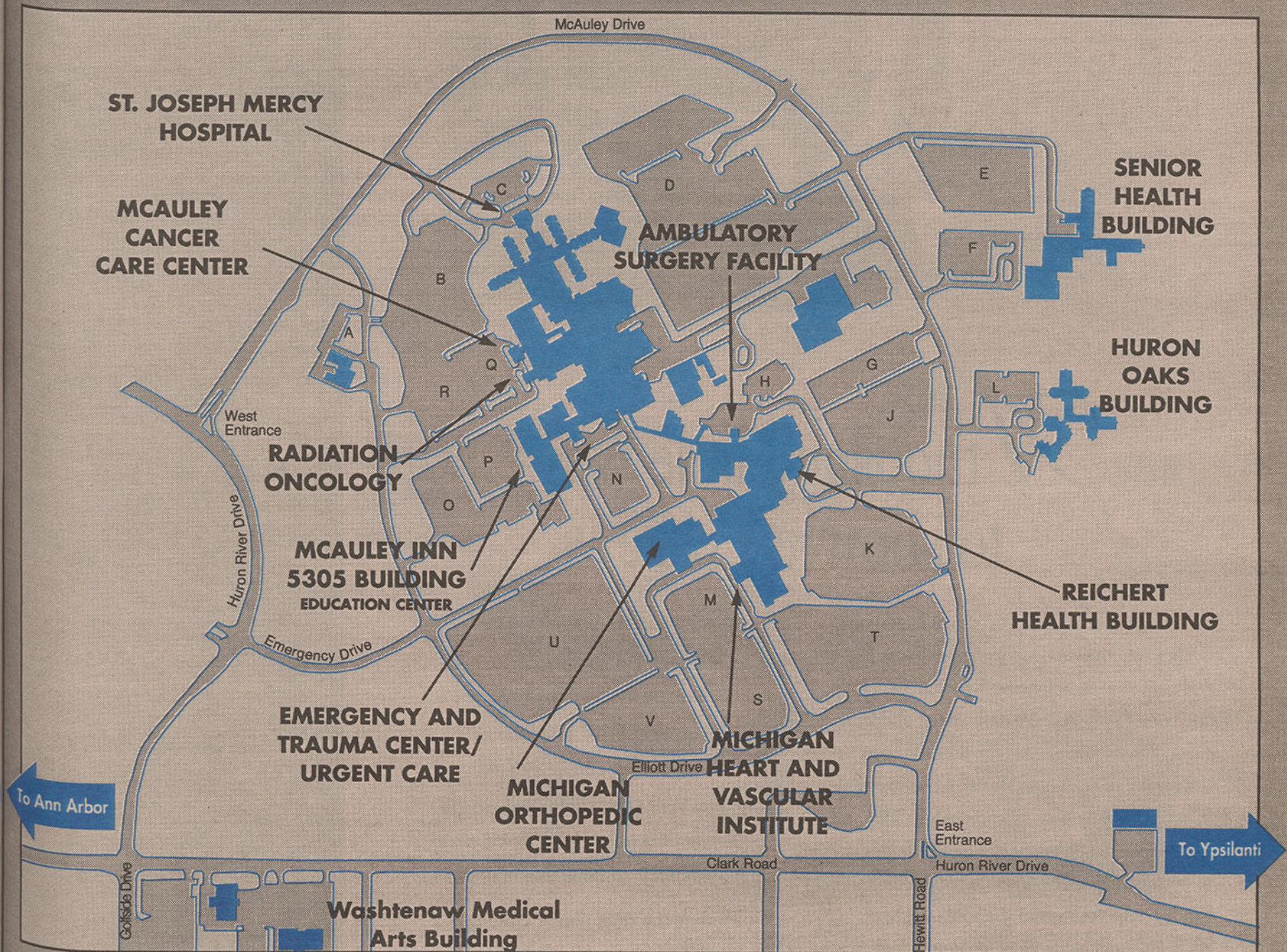




# HEALTH CARE

Medical care is a major Ann Arbor industry.

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| <b>C</b> Admitting/Discharge       | <b>K</b> Reichert Health Building                                              | <b>P</b> 5305 Building/Education Center              | <b>T</b> Employees                                                             |
| <b>D</b> Employees                 | <b>L</b> Huron Oaks Building                                                   | <b>Q</b> Cancer Care Center/Physical<br>Medicine/TBI | <b>U</b> Employees                                                             |
| <b>E</b> Employees                 | <b>M</b> Michigan Heart & Vascular Institute<br>and Michigan Orthopedic Center |                                                      | <b>V</b> Michigan Orthopedic Center                                            |
| <b>F</b> Senior Health Building    |                                                                                |                                                      |                                                                                |
| <b>G</b> Employees                 |                                                                                |                                                      |                                                                                |

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### OVERVIEW

Health care in Ann Arbor is dominated by giant institutions. But even they are feeling the pressure as the nation's health care system

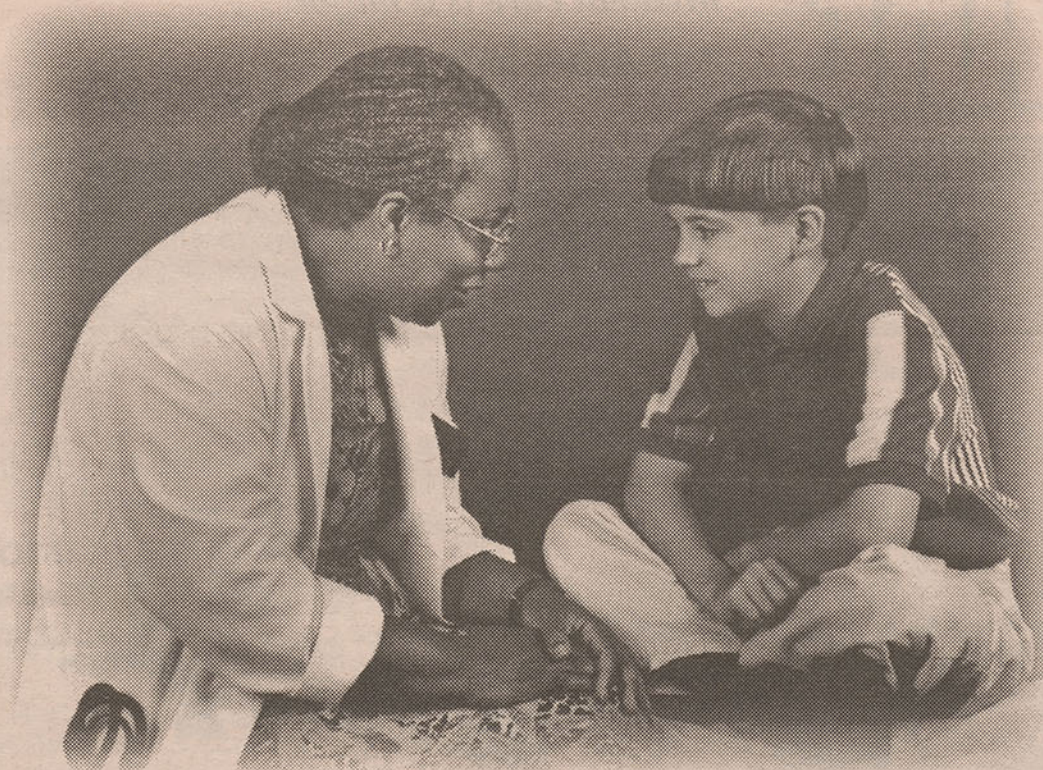
strives to cut spending.

According to the Alliance for Health, a non-profit health planning agency, Ann Arbor has the third-highest hospital costs in the country, after Honolulu and Anchorage. Responding to pressure from payers, both the University of Michigan Health System and St. Joseph Mercy Health System (known as Mission Health Corporation until December 1996) are working hard to cut costs. The U-M Medical Center is eliminating about 300 staff positions this year,

and is exploring privatization of some services. St. Joe's is also downsizing. Both systems are conducting acquisition talks with Chelsea Community Hospital, the last independent community hospital in Washtenaw County.

Doctors in private practice primarily use St. Joe's expansive medical campus just east of Ann Arbor. Many primary care physicians have formed one large group, Integrated Health Associates, and local specialists are also joining forces. The disappearance of the





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- Ypsilanti Health Center



# HEALTH CARE

Independent medical practitioner has been sudden, and the recent arrival of flat fee "capitation" payment systems has raised fears that patient care could be shortchanged. Residents are also vulnerable to the same problems troubling the rest of the country: limited insurance availability to the working poor, frequent claim denials, and often impersonal care.

Overall, however, the quality of medical care in Ann Arbor is excellent. Dual acute care hospitals, cancer centers, outpatient campuses, satellite clinic networks, and helicopter shuttles provide unparalleled access and some of the Midwest's best medical specialists. The U-M Medical Center, one of the country's largest and most prestigious academic medical centers, has aggressive research programs in bone marrow transplant, gene therapy, prostate cancer, lymphoma, and Alzheimer's disease. Physicians are developing new therapies ranging from a bioartificial kidney to a new anti-cancer drug.

The U-M has expanded its outpatient services through the U-M Primary Care Network, a system of more than 30 community-based U-M health centers. The past year has seen the opening of both the East Ann Arbor Health Center (off Plymouth Road) and the \$88 million Cancer Center and Geriatrics Center.

The St. Joseph Mercy Health System boasts a new orthopedics center and has a growing network of clinics in Washtenaw, Livingston, and western Wayne counties. St. Joe's Cancer Care Center is one of only 50 Community Clinical Oncology programs in the country, and takes part in about 300 clinical trials for new cancer therapies each year.

The area's third major medical complex, the Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center, also has undergone significant change. As the City Guide goes to press, a \$170 million addition project is nearing completion. Emergency phone numbers are listed on p. 196.

## HOSPITALS

### ST. JOSEPH MERCY HEALTH SYSTEM—ST. JOSEPH MERCY HOSPITAL

Emergency Department: 712-3000  
General Information: 712-3456  
Patient Information: 712-3773  
Physician Referral: 712-5400

**How to get there:** "St. Joe's" is located at 5301 East Huron River Drive (P.O. Box 995, AA 48106) between Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti. AATA bus route #3 (Huron River Dr.) serves the hospital and complex.

If you're coming from central or southern Ann Arbor, take Washtenaw, Packard, or Ellsworth eastbound (toward Ypsilanti). Turn left onto either Golfside or Hewitt, both of which lead directly to entrances to the St. Joseph Mercy complex.

From northeast Ann Arbor, take Geddes Road eastbound from Huron Parkway to Dixboro (just east of US-23). Turn right onto southbound Dixboro, which dead-ends at East Huron River Drive. Turn left to reach St. Joe's.

From US-23, take exit 37, Washtenaw eastbound (toward Ypsilanti), then turn left onto either Golfside or Hewitt.

**Description:** St. Joseph Mercy Health System is a comprehensive health care system that encompasses inpatient services, an outpatient care network, home care, senior services, business health services, hospice care, and managed health care. St. Joseph Mercy Health System units include St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Saline Community Hospital, and McPherson Hospital in Howell, as well as outpatient facilities and specialty centers in Washtenaw, Livingston, western Wayne, Jackson, Lenawee, and Monroe counties.

St. Joseph Mercy Hospital is located on a large campus between Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti. A 581-bed acute care hospital, it offers

complete medical and surgical inpatient and outpatient care. Hospital services include cardiology, cancer care, obstetrics and other women's health programs, physical medicine and rehabilitation, orthopedics, geriatrics, behavioral services, and much more. In addition to the hospital, programs and facilities here include the Reichert Health Building, the Senior Health Building, the Family Birth Place, the McAuley Rehabilitation Institute, the Huron Oaks Building, the Robert H. and Judy Dow Alexander Cancer Care Center (which also houses the Michigan Pain Institute), the Michigan Heart and Vascular Institute, and the Michigan Orthopedic Center.

St. Joseph Mercy Health System is a member of Mercy Health Services, a nonprofit health care corporation based in Farmington Hills that is sponsored by the Religious Sisters of Mercy. As a Catholic organization, Mercy Health Systems has policies that prohibit its staff from dispensing and prescribing contraceptives and from performing vasectomies, female sterilizations, and elective abortions.

**Parking and shuttle service:** Parking at the Reichert Health Building and other patient facilities is free. All lots have reserved senior and handicapped spaces. Free shuttle buses circle

the complex throughout the day, stopping at parking lots, shelters, and building entrances to pick up pedestrians. If you are inside one of the buildings and want to expedite transportation, dial ext. 23344 on the in-house phone and a bus will be dispatched. Buses run Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-8 p.m., Sat. & Sun. 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

### MAJOR FACILITIES & PROGRAMS

*Facilities are located at the East Huron River Drive location unless otherwise noted. See Health Services, below, for chemical dependency, mental illness, and other specialized treatment programs.*

**Ambulatory Surgery Facility.** 712-5000. Performs surgery on an outpatient basis.

**Business Health Services,** 3075 Clark (Washtenaw Medical Arts Bldg.), Suite 200. 712-2376. Formerly the Occupational Medicine Department, Business Health Services treats work-related injuries and illnesses, Mon.-Fri. 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Another office is located at the Maple Health Building (see below).

**Robert H. and Judy Dow Alexander Cancer Care program.** 712-5947. Outpatient facility of the McAuley Cancer Care Center. This new community-funded building houses treatment

areas, a laboratory and pharmacy, physicians' offices, and support services. Also houses the Michigan Pain Institute, which diagnoses and treats chronic pain.

**Family Birth Place,** St. Joseph Mercy Hospital. 712-5400, (800) 231-2211. Includes 17 labor-delivery-recovery rooms (8 available for postpartum care), a mother-baby unit with a nursery, and a 15-bed special care nursery. Call to arrange for obstetrical tours and prenatal classes. The center offers prenatal and postpartum exercise classes; call 712-3094.

**Huron Oaks Building,** 5401 McAuley. 712-5750. Houses mental health services, including adult and adolescent partial hospitalization, and an adult crisis residential unit.

**Maple Health Building,** 501 N. Maple at Dexter. 662-5222. Houses an urgent care clinic, physicians' offices, and an office of Business Health Services (occupational medicine).

**McAuley Rehabilitation Institute.** 712-4162. Inpatient and outpatient services include traumatic brain injury day treatment, occupational and physical therapy, speech/language pathology, therapeutic recreation, work capacity services, and rehabilitation psychology.

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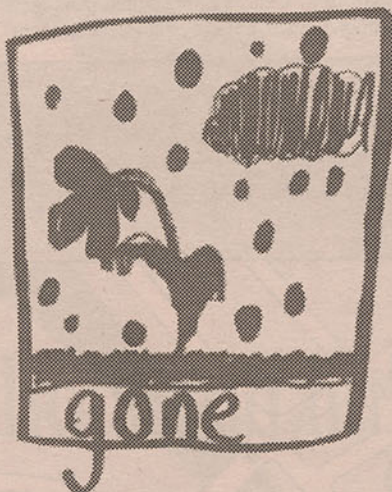


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**Office of Health Promotion**, 712-3675. Offers stop-smoking and other health education programs. Speakers on various health issues available by arrangement. Promotes a variety of workplace and corporate wellness services.

**Reichert Health Building**, 712-5300. St. Joe's main outpatient center, the Reichert Building combines the offices of several hundred private physicians with a lab, pharmacy, radiology services, nutrition services, a health information library (open to the public), and the Arbory restaurant. The county's only outpatient diabetes program certified by the Department of Health and recognized by the American Diabetes Association is located at the Reichert building, as is McAuley Breast Care (see Women's Health, p. 108).

**St. Joseph Mercy Home Care**, 806 Airport. 741-5700. See Hospice & Home Health Care, below.

**St. Joseph Mercy Hospital**, 712-3456. This 581-bed acute care hospital is the center of the St. Joseph Mercy Health System Ann Arbor campus and offers complete medical and surgical inpatient and outpatient care. The hospital discharged 26,175 patients and recorded 380,369 outpatient visits and 58,969 emergency center visits in fiscal 1996.

**St. Joseph Mercy Urgent Care and St. Joseph Mercy Pediatric Urgent Care**. See Urgent Care Clinics, p. 101.

**Towsley Senior Health Building**, Geriatric Health Services, 712-5189. Houses Geriatric Health Services, Lifeline, the Office of Health Promotions, and the Huron Woods residential care program for people with Alzheimer's and other dementia-related illnesses. St. Joe's also provides space to several community agencies of particular interest to seniors, including Neighborhood Senior Services, Elderwise, the Washtenaw County Council on Aging, Catholic Social Services senior program and the Arthritis Foundation. The nonprofit Insti-

tute for Preventative Sports Medicine (419-3390) also is located here.

**Travelers' Health Services and Immunization Clinic**, 712-2798. This clinic maintains up-to-date information on necessary immunizations and health precautions for travel overseas.

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From the west side, take Huron Street into downtown. Turn left (north) at Division Street and cross the river. Turn right at Maiden Lane (the second light after the bridge). Maiden Lane turns into East Medical Center Drive when you cross Fuller Road. From points west of Ann Arbor, take Jackson Road (exit 194) into the city; after it merges with Huron Street, proceed as described above.

From the southeast, take Washtenaw Avenue into town. Turn right on Observatory Street. The high-rise University Towers are a landmark. East Medical Center Drive is the third street to the right.

From US-23, take exit 39, Geddes Road, and go west. Geddes becomes Fuller Road. After you cross the Huron River on Fuller Road, the Medical Center complex becomes visible on the hill on your left. Turn left on East Medical Center Drive.

**Description**: The UMMC includes the University of Michigan Medical School, whose faculty serves as the hospitals' medical staff. The hospitals in the UMMC provide educational and research facilities for students and faculty. UMMC researchers receive more than \$200 million in research grants each year, which allows the medical center to offer new and experimental treatments not available elsewhere. However, patients at a research hospital may also find themselves being scrutinized and discussed by medical students and faculty.

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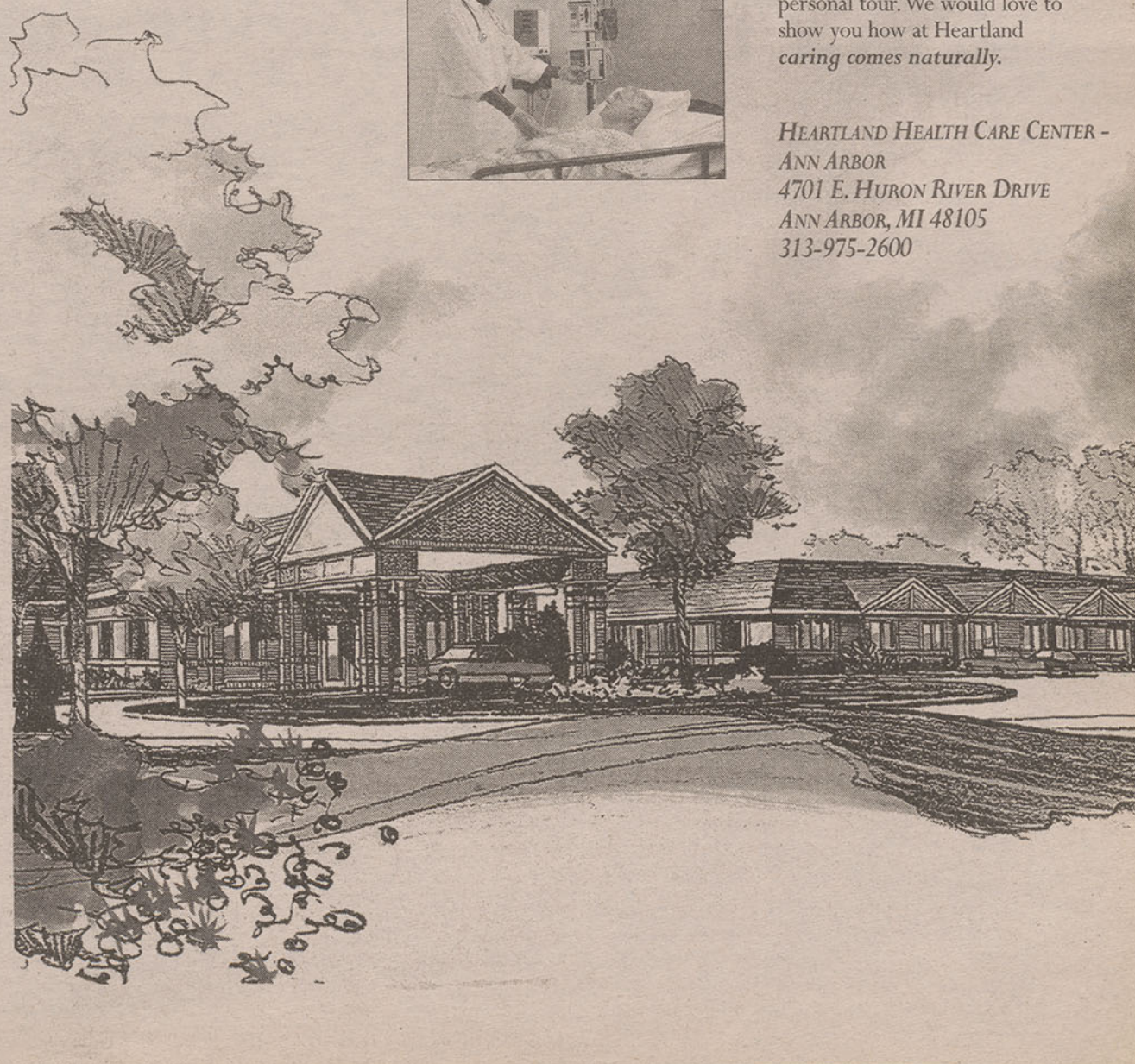
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**Parking and shuttle service:** The Patient/Visitor Parking Deck is next to the Taubman Center and the main entrance to University Hospital, off the semicircular Medical Center Drive. You can also enter the deck through the underground tunnel in front of the Maternal and Child Health Center. The deck is staffed from 5:45 a.m. to 1:30 a.m. daily. Parking costs 60¢ for each of the first three hours, 25¢ for each of the next three hours, and higher charges after that, with a maximum daily charge of \$4.50. Parking decks are free to individuals with state handicapped permits. Valet parking is available at the main entrance of University Hospital from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Cost for valet parking is \$6 a day or fraction (\$2.50 with handicapped sticker).

Free shuttle buses run between the many medical campus buildings. The North Ingalls Building-Mott/Women's shuttle runs every 20 minutes, 6:45 a.m.-5:15 p.m. The Riverview-Kellogg Eye-Taubman shuttle runs every 30 minutes, 7 a.m.-7:30 p.m. The Main Entrance-VA Hospital shuttle runs approximately every 30 minutes, 8:20 a.m.-5:15 p.m. All U-M buses running between North Campus and Central Campus make stops at the Kresge Medical Research Complex near University Hospital.

## MAJOR FACILITIES & PROGRAMS

Facilities are located on the Medical Center campus unless otherwise noted. See Health Services, below, for chemical dependency, mental illness, and other specialized treatment programs.

**Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Hospital.** 764-7269. Provides short-term treatment for mood and developmental disorders, autism, and depression. It also offers an infant and early childhood care program and an early adolescence clinic. (See also Mental Illness, p. 107.)

**Comprehensive Cancer Center.** 647-8904. Diagnosis, consultation, treatment, and research for a variety of cancers. Multidisciplinary clinics throughout the Medical Center treat breast cancer, prostate cancer, skin cancer, head and neck cancers, and lymphoma, among others. All cancer clinics are now located in the new Cancer Center and Geriatrics Center Building, 1400 East Medical Center Drive.

**Holden Perinatal Hospital.** 936-4000. Provides care for newborns and infants.

**Kellogg Eye Center,** 1000 Wall St. 763-8122. Provides outpatient eye care, as well as education and research. Patients typically are referred here by community ophthalmologists; nonreferred patients may make appointments at the eye clinic.

**MedSport,** 24 Frank Lloyd Wright Dr. at Domino's Farms. 998-7400. Offers programs in sports medicine (998-7405), cardiac rehabilitation (998-7400), and executive health (998-7400). Comprehensive fitness assessments are also available.

**Michigan Diabetes Research and Training Center.** 763-4156. Primarily a research facility, this center also offers outpatient services to diabetics, including diagnosis, intensive insulin therapy, and treatment of illnesses associated with diabetes. A ten-part series of classes is open to the public and costs \$260; call 936-8279.

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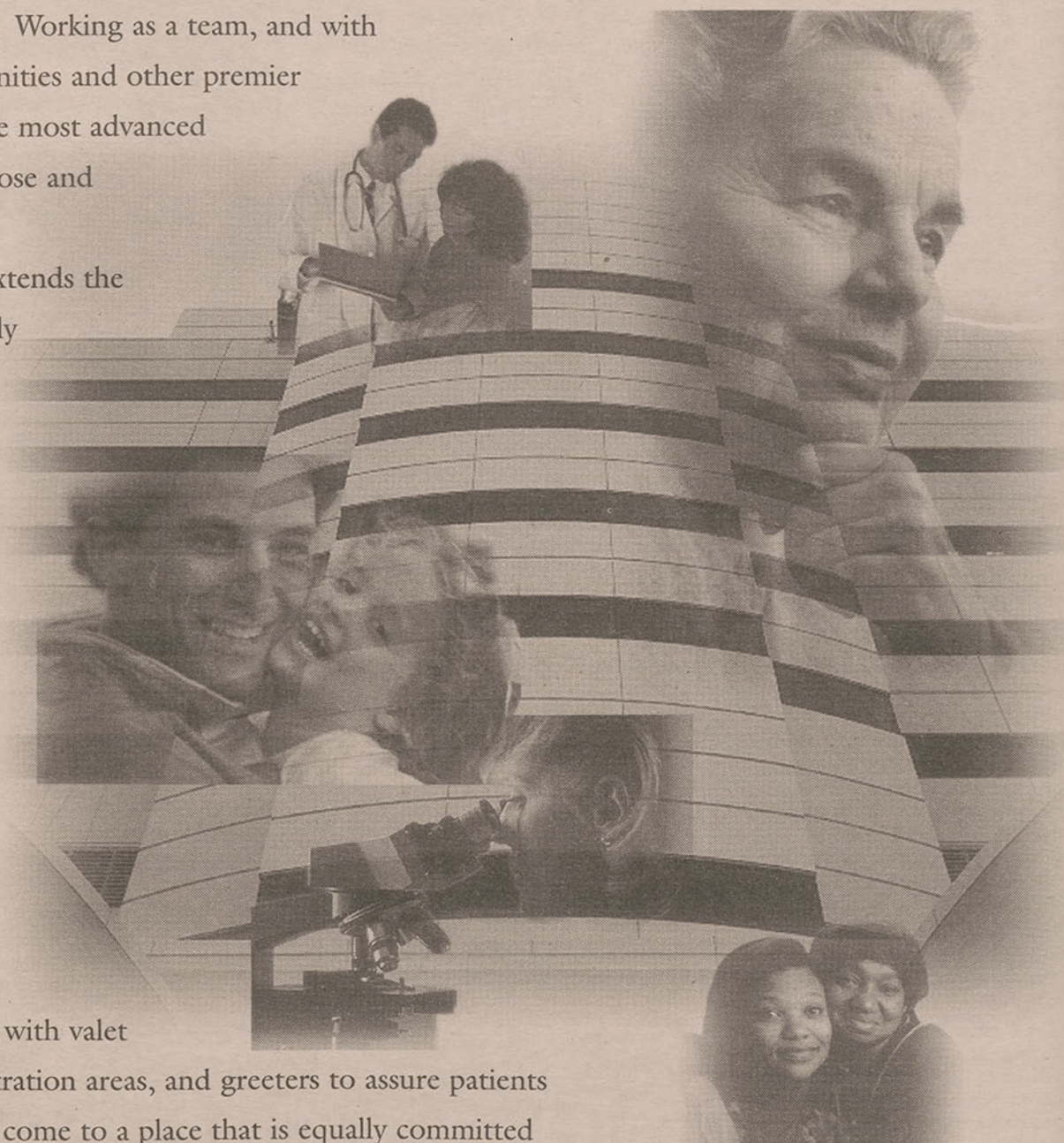
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1. Dial 763-9000 and enter one of the four-digit category numbers listed. If you make a mistake press 4 and start again.
2. You don't have to listen to the entire message. If you want to go to another category, press 4.
3. You may wish to have a pencil available to take notes.

## U-M Geriatrics Center

- 4180 General Information
- 8105 Aging and Your Body
- 8100 Aging Skin
- 8102 Alzheimer's Disease
- 7838 Breast Self-Examination
- 8172 Depression
- 7916 Drinking and Older Adults
- 7925 Drugs and Older Adults
- 8160 Enlarged Prostate
- 5117 Gastric Reflux or Heartburn
- 8103 Hearing Loss
- 8098 Home Falls
- 8099 Home Falls: Prevention
- 1561 Home Health Care
- 5195 Hormone Replacement Therapy
- 6450 Hormone Replacement Using Premarin
- 8101 Hypothermia
- 5503 Immunizations for Seniors
- 8341 Incontinence
- 8320 Mammography Guidelines
- 8319 Menopause
- 8096 Nursing Homes
- 8323 Osteoporosis
- 8104 Taking Medication
- 1520 What to Ask Your Doctor

## U-M Comprehensive Cancer Center

- 7834 General Information
- 8600 Cancer AnswerLine
- 7855 Michigan Interactive Kiosk Project
- 7848 "I Can Cope" Educational Series
- 7847 Social Work and Support Groups
- 7832 Clinical Trials
- 7849 Cancer Center Events and How to Volunteer
- 7850 Contributions to the Cancer Center

## Cancer Risks, Preventive Measures, Warning Signs, Radiation and Chemotherapy

- 7830 Protective Factors
- 7829 Risk Factors
- 7828 Cancer Warning Signs
- 7838 Breast Self-Examination
- 1776 Prostate Examination
- 1772 Skin Self-Examination
- 1770 Testicular Self-Examination
- 7827 Chemotherapy
- 7826 Radiation Treatment

## Bladder, Kidney, Ovaries, Prostate, Testicles or Uterus

- 7801 Bladder Cancer
- 7856 Kidney Cancer
- 7809 Ovarian Cancer
- 7803 Prostate Cancer
- 7802 Testicular Cancer
- 7808 Uterine & Cervical Cancer

## Brain Tumors

- 7804 Non-Malignant Brain Tumors
- 7805 Brain Cancer
- 7843 Brain Tumors

## Breast Cancer

- 7836 U-M Breast Care Center
- 7806 Breast Cancer
- 7807 Breast Cancer Treatment
- 7831 Breast Reconstruction
- 7838 Breast Self-Examination
- 8320 Mammography Guidelines

## Colon, Liver, Pancreas, Rectum or Stomach

- 4631 U-M GI Cancer Clinic
- 7814 Colorectal Cancer
- 7858 Liver Cancer
- 7857 Pancreatic Cancer
- 7813 Stomach Cancer

## Head and Neck Cancer

- 4036 Head and Neck Cancer Evaluation
- 7812 Cancer of the Esophagus
- 7817 Cancer of the Larynx
- 7810 Oral Cancer

## Leukemia, Lymphomas and Sarcomas

- 7822 Adult Leukemia
- 7854 Bone Marrow Transplant
- 7823 Leukemia Treatment
- 7816 Hodgkin's Disease
- 7815 Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma
- 7839 Adult Soft Tissue Sarcoma
- 7852 Cutaneous T-cell Lymphoma

## Lung Cancer

- 7818 Lung Cancer
- 7819 Lung Cancer Treatment
- 7820 Second-Hand Smoke
- 7811 Smokeless Tobacco
- 7934 Cigars

## Skin Cancer

- 7825 Preventing Skin Cancer
- 1774 Skin Cancer Risk Factors
- 1772 Skin Self-Examination
- 7824 Types of Skin Cancer

## Cancer Affecting Children or Young Adults

## Brain Tumors, Neuroblastoma, Wilm's Tumor, Sarcomas

- 7843 Brain Tumors
- 7844 Neuroblastoma
- 7846 Sarcomas
- 7845 Wilm's Tumor

## Leukemia and Lymphoma

- 7854 Bone Marrow Transplant
- 7840 Childhood Leukemia
- 7841 Hodgkin's Disease
- 7842 Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma

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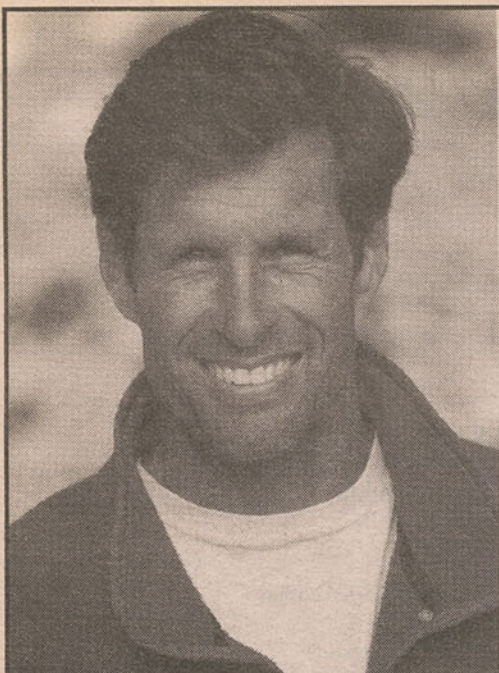
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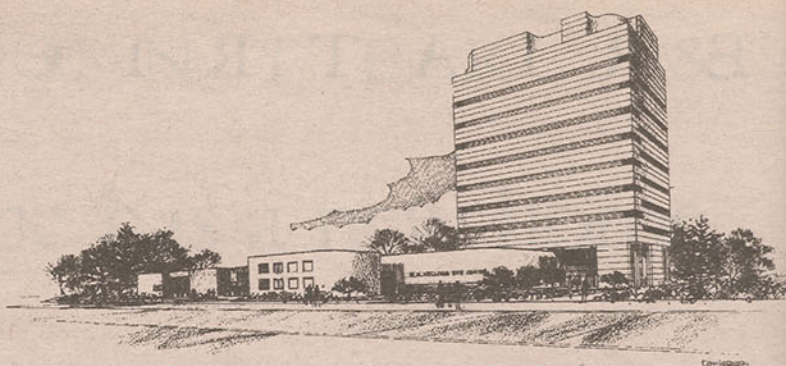
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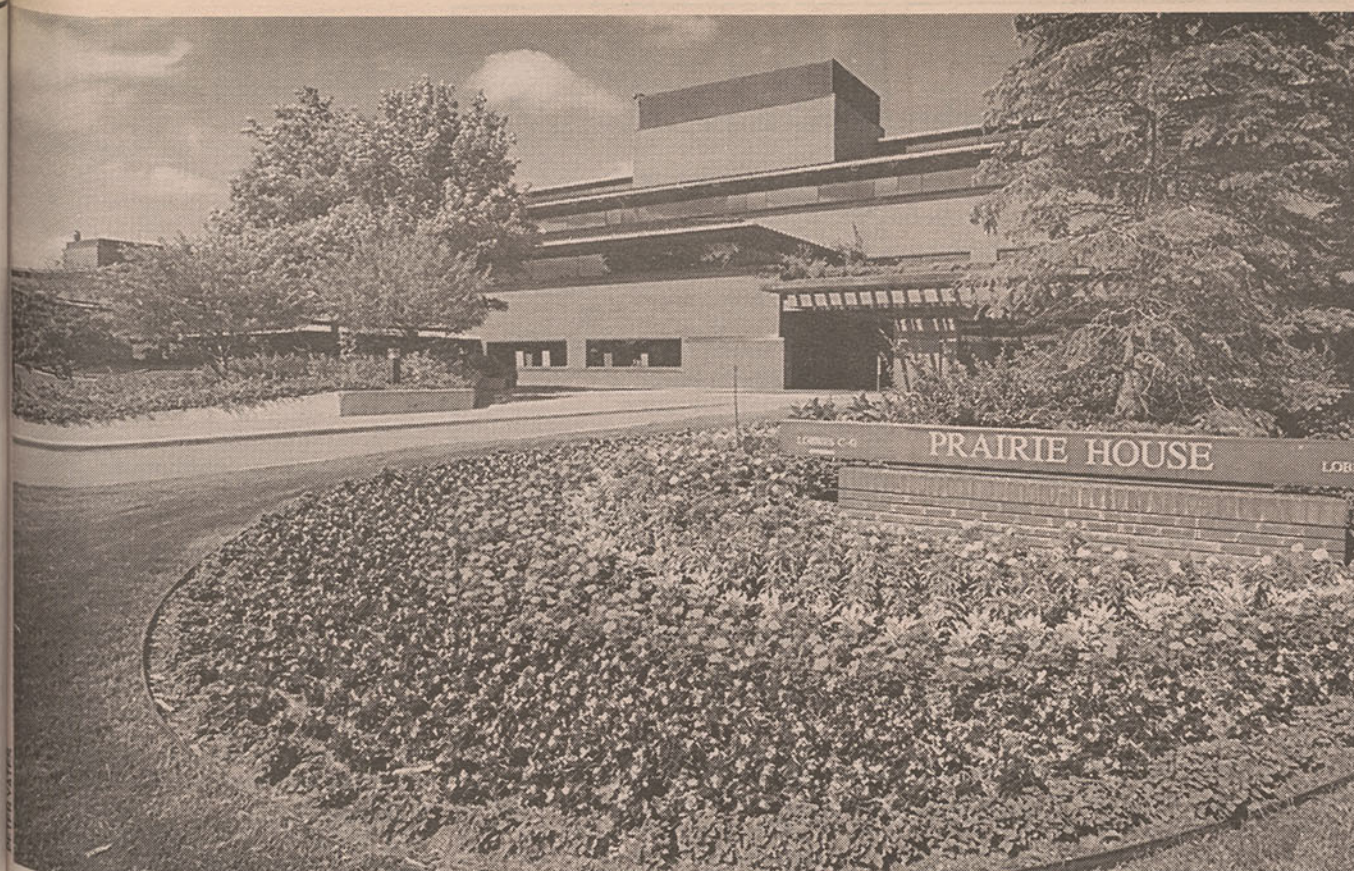


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**Taubman Health Care Center.** 936-4990. This is the UMMC's primary outpatient facility. It houses more than 110 specialty outpatient clinics.

**Turner Geriatric Services Medical Clinic,** 1400 E. Medical Center Dr. 764-6831. Located in the new Cancer Center and Geriatrics Center Building, this outpatient facility for the U-M Geriatric Center provides comprehensive health evaluations, specialty and primary care, social work, and a number of outreach services to people over age 60. Social work: 764-2556.

**U-M Health Centers.** The University of Michigan Health System includes 30 satellite clinics in Ann Arbor, Ypsilanti, Northville, Plymouth, Brighton, Saline, Chelsea, Howell, Dexter, Canton, Livonia, Farmington Hills, Jackson, and Monroe.

**University Health Service,** 207 Fletcher St. 763-8320. See Health Care Clinics, below.

**University Hospital.** 936-4000. The U-M Health System's primary adult medical and surgical hospital, also referred to as the Main Hospital, has 568 beds. Viewed from Fuller Road, this is the huge white building with the long horizontal windows. **Visiting hours:** General: Daily 11 a.m.-8 p.m. Intensive Care Unit: varies with patient's status.

**Women's Hospital.** 936-4000. Offers obstetrical care for normal and high-risk pregnancies.

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Women's Health Clinic: 761-7975, (800) 361-8387  
Human Resources: 761-7940  
Volunteers: 761-7995

**How to get there:** The VA Medical Center is located at 2215 Fuller, on the edge of the U-M's North Campus, about a half mile east of the University of Michigan Medical Center. From US-23, take exit 39, Geddes Road, and go west. Geddes becomes Fuller Road. The entrance to the patient/visitor parking structure is located at the intersection of Fuller and Glazier Way.

**Description:** Established in 1953, the VA Medical Center provides inpatient and outpatient health care to 26,000 veterans residing in south-east Michigan and northwest Ohio, and specialty services and rehabilitation programs attract VA referrals from across Michigan's Lower Peninsula. The VAMC also serves as a teaching hospital associated with the U-M School of Medicine and 40 other institutions. All VAMC physicians hold joint appointments at the U-M, with more than 1,000 individuals receiving training at the VAMC each year. The medical center also has a comprehensive research program in clinical, basic science, health services and rehabilitation research, and houses a Geriatric Research, Education and Clinical Center.

In recent years, the center has been shifting its focus from inpatient care to outpatient services. A \$170 million clinical addition project is designed to enhance clinical space, research areas, parking, and energy facilities at the Ann Arbor VAMC.

Programs and services at the VAMC include cardiac surgery and catheterization, radiation therapy, neurosurgery, intensive psychiatric community care, and telemedicine programs in radiology and nuclear medicine. The medical center also offers special treatment programs to meet the health care needs of women veterans, Persian Gulf veterans, spinal cord-injured patients, former prisoners of war, and other veteran populations with specific health care needs.

#### HOSPITAL LODGING PROGRAMS

See Hotels & Motels, p. 157.

### OUTPATIENT CARE

#### URGENT CARE CLINICS

The following facilities provide treatment for non-life-threatening illnesses and nontraumatic injuries on a walk-in basis. People needing emergency care at any time or urgent care after clinic hours should go to the 24-hour emergency rooms at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital (712-3000) or University Hospital (936-6662).

**Family Health and Occupational Center of Ann Arbor,** 2755 Carpenter. 971-7694. Urgent care and private general medical care for walk-in patients and by appointment. Mon.-Fri. 8 a.m.-10 p.m., Sat. 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Sun. noon-5 p.m.

**Pediatric Emergency Service,** just inside the University Hospital emergency entrance. 936-4230. Treats minor traumatic injuries and medical emergencies for children up to age 17. Free parking in the emergency lot. Daily 9 a.m.-12:30 a.m.

**St. Joseph Mercy Pediatric Urgent Care,** next to the Urgent Care entrance at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital (follow signs for Emergency). 712-2786. Sun.-Fri. & holidays 9 a.m.-11 p.m., Sat. noon-11 p.m.

**St. Joseph Mercy Urgent Care.** Two Ann Arbor locations. Just inside the emergency room of St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, 712-3952, daily 9 a.m.-12:30 a.m.; and the **Maple Health Building,** at the corner of Maple and Dexter roads, 662-5222, daily 8 a.m.-10 p.m.

**U-M Hospital Urgent Care,** just inside the University Hospital emergency entrance. 936-5642. Patients are screened by emergency room staff; nontraumatic injuries and non-life-threatening illnesses are referred to this clinic. Free parking in the emergency lot. Open daily 10 a.m.-10 p.m. (This is the only urgent care location associated with the U-M Medical Center.)

#### HEALTH CARE CLINICS

Clinics listed here are affiliated with area hospitals and universities or provide affordable care to low-income individuals.

**Ashley Place Clinic,** 112 S. Ashley. 668-7273. Provides free medical care to those without means to pay. Prescription vouchers available. Staffed by volunteer physicians and nurses from the U-M. Mon. & Thurs. 7-9 p.m., Tues. 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m.

**Marshall H. Becker Memorial Clinic,** 1500 E. Medical Center Dr., Taubman Center, first floor. 763-6767. A free clinic for children from birth to 18 who do not have regular medical care because of low income, lack of insurance, lack of a permanent address, or other barriers. Held second Saturday of each month, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.; call for more information.

**Corner Health Center,** 47 N. Huron, Ypsilanti. 484-3600. Medical care, health education, and support services for 12- to 21-year-olds and their children. Accepts Medicaid, Medicare, Care Choices, and other insurance; sliding-scale fees.

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**Neighborhood Health Clinic**, 201 S. Hamilton, Ypsilanti. 482-9800. Supported by Joseph Mercy Health System, this clinic offers health services to Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor residents, including the economically disadvantaged. Orthopedic services provided by physician referral. Appointments required. Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. No appointments scheduled Friday mornings.

**Packard Community Clinic**, 3174 Packard Ave. 971-1073 Nonprofit clinic offering preventive medicine, family medicine for all ages, minor office surgery, immunizations and vaccinations. Also many supportive services. All major insurances and HMOs accepted, sliding scale payment plan. Appointments advised, walk-ins accommodated "as able." Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-noon & 1:45-5 p.m. (Wed. & Thurs. till 7 p.m.), Sat. on-call hours 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

**U-M Health Centers**. These 30 regional clinics serve M-Care HMO members and accept other insurance plans, including Blue Care Network, Blue Cross/Blue Shield of Michigan, Aetna, Omnicare, Medicaid, and Medicare. They accept new patients and are open to the public by appointment. Many have lab and X-ray capabilities and offer evening and weekend hours.

**Briarwood Family Practice**, 1801 Briarwood Cir. 998-7390, 973-5845 (answering service for serious medical problems).

**Briarwood Medical Group**, 375 Briarwood Cir. 998-7207.

**East Ann Arbor**, 4260 Plymouth 647-5700.

**Taubman Center Practices**, 1500 E. Medical Center Dr. General medicine: 936-5582; General medicine/Primary care: 936-5580; Ob-Gyn: 763-6295.

**West Ann Arbor**, 4900A Jackson 998-7380.

**University Health Service (U-M)**, 207 Fletcher 764-8325 (appointments); 764-8320 (information line). Provides medical services for current U-M students. Ex-students may join prepaid health plan for up to a year after the last enrollment. Faculty and staff who are M-Care HMO members also may use UHS services.



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## HEALTH INFORMATION & PHYSICIAN REFERRAL

**Cancer AnswerLine (UMMC).** (800) 865-1125. Toll-free information line staffed by experienced oncology nurses. Provides physician referrals, information on risk factors, prevention, diagnosis, treatment options, and clinical trials. Staffed Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m.; after hours leave message and your call will be returned the next day.

**Health Access Program.** 481-2502, (800) 440-7548. "Front door" for most public health and mental health programs in Washtenaw County; callers can obtain information about the programs and apply for them. Nurses available to answer health questions. Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.

**Primary Care Referral Service (UMMC).** (800) 211-8181. Refers callers to U-M Medical Center physicians and services. Answers questions regarding office hours, location of offices, and specialty services available. Professional staff will answer questions while helping select a health care provider.

**St. Joseph Mercy Referral Line.** 712-5400, (800) 231-2211. Refers callers to St. Joseph Mercy Health System physicians and services. Daily 8 a.m.-11:30 p.m.

**U-M TeleCare.** 763-9000 or (800) 742-2300. This service, accessible to those with Touch-Tone telephones, provides recorded information from the U-M Medical Center 24 hours a day. During clinic hours, callers can be connected directly to staffs of various clinics. Recorded info includes directions to the center, parking advice, information about specific hospitals, and descriptions of various health issues, programs, and services. For a directory of topics, see TeleCare ad on pp. 98-99.

**Washtenaw County Medical Society.** 668-6241. Refers callers to member physicians affiliated with various hospitals and clinics throughout Washtenaw County. Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

## HMOs, PPOs, & HEALTH INSURANCE

Health Maintenance Organizations (HMOs) and Preferred Provider Organizations (PPOs)

are alternatives to traditional health care insurance. Both offer health care from a network of physicians and hospitals. PPO members may seek care from outside the network, but must pay more if they do. HMOs are more restrictive: a patient is assigned to a primary care physician who coordinates care and must authorize referrals to specialists. On behalf of employers, HMOs and PPOs contract with physicians, clinics, hospitals, and other health care providers to supply health care for their employees. In Michigan, each HMO must accept some individual subscribers; see listings

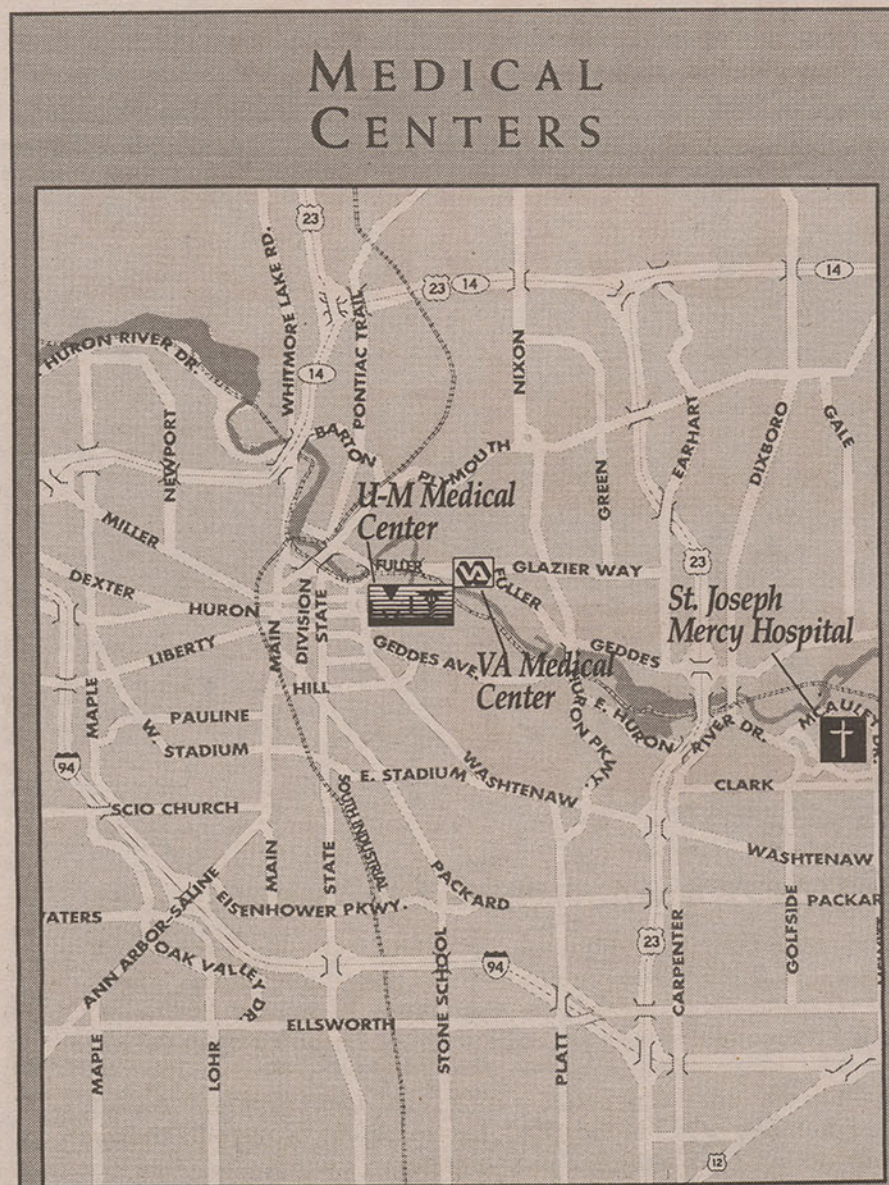
below for information on enrollment periods for individuals.

**Care Choices,** 34605 Twelve Mile Rd., Farmington Hills 48331. This HMO, offered by Mercy Health Plans, is affiliated locally with St. Joseph Mercy Health Systems and with Chelsea Hospital. Over 3,400 participating physicians and 43 hospitals serve over 170,000 members. Open enrollment for individual subscribers takes place the last two weeks in November; call (800) 261-3452 in early October for information. Businesses interested in information on Care Choices HMO membership for their employees can also call (800) 261-3452.

Individuals who are already Care Choices members, or who are being offered membership through their employers, can call (800) 852-9780, Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., for information.

**Community Health Partners (CHP),** 2000 Hogback Rd. 677-6790. Owned by the Allegiance, L.L.C., a company jointly owned by the Huron Valley Physicians Association and St. Joseph Mercy Health System, this PPO currently offers coverage only to businesses which self-fund employee health care costs. A comprehensive network of coverage in Washtenaw and Jackson counties and portions of Livingston, Monroe, Wayne, and Lenawee counties.

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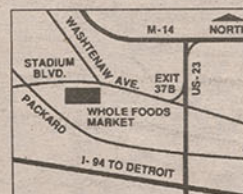
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**Preferred Choices PPO**, 34605 Twelve Rd., Farmington Hills 48331. (800) 585-8600. This PPO, administered by Mercy Health Plans, is affiliated locally with St. Joseph Mercy Health Systems and the Huron Valley Physicians Association. Over 5,500 participating physicians and 51 hospitals serve 155,000 members. Preferred Choices Optima is a PPO in which care is coordinated by a primary care physician, is also available.

**The Ann Arbor Area Chamber of Commerce**, 425 S. Main. 665-4433. Offers group health insurance to its members, including individuals. Some unions and nonprofit organizations also offer insurance, but in general, accessible group policies are much harder to find in Washtenaw County than they were even a few years ago.

### HEALTH SERVICES

#### WASHTENAW COUNTY HEALTH SERVICES

This division of county government offers a wide range of medical and health-related programs at various locations throughout Washtenaw County. Some services are free to county residents; however, many programs now request donations. For general information, call 484-7200, or call the Health Access Program at 481-2502 or (800) 440-7548.

**Children's Special Health Care Services** (Washtenaw County Public Health Division) 484-7215. Offers financial assistance to families with chronically ill children, newborns through age 21. Also helps families process applications for these services.

**Community Mental Health Service**. Adult services by appointment at 555 Tower, Ypsilanti, 481-2502 or 484-6601. Child and adolescent services by appointment at 29 Ellsworth, Ypsilanti, 971-9605. Substance abuse treatment and prevention services 484-6620. Assault crisis center (rape crisis services available 24 hours a day), 483-7273. For any other questions, call director Kathleen Reynolds at 484-6620. Emergency 24-hour walk-in treatment is available at the University Hospital Psychiatric Emergency Service 996-4747.

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#### ALTERNATIVE MEDICINE

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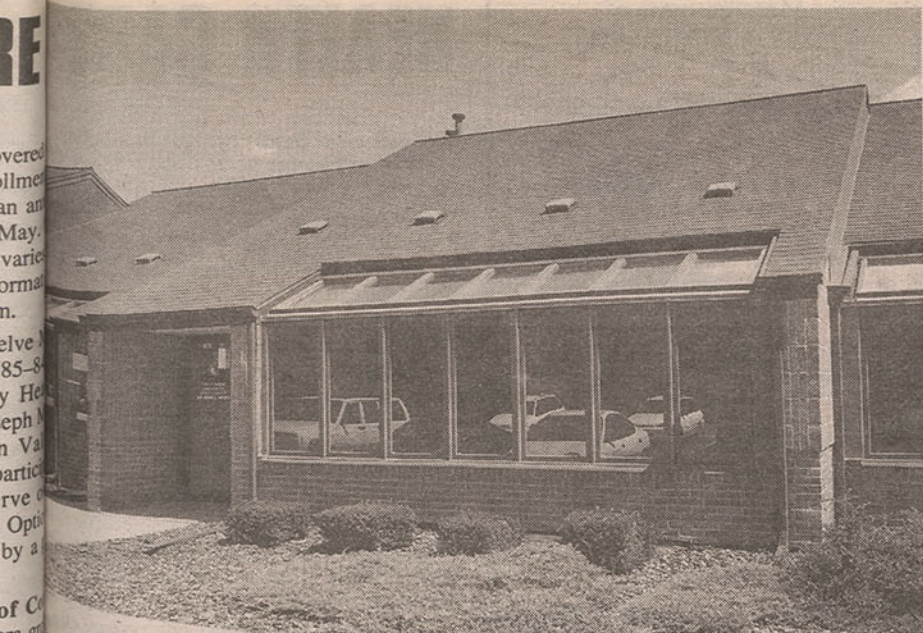
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#### CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY

Only treatment programs are listed here. For additional listings check the Yellow Pages under **Drug Abuse & Addiction**. For support groups (such as Alcoholics Anonymous), see **Substance Abuse Support Groups in Community Services**, p. 111.

**Chelsea Arbor Treatment Center in Ann Arbor**, 900 Victors Way, Suite 310, 930-0201, (800) 828-8020. Jointly sponsored by the U-M Medical Center and Chelsea Community Hospital, this center provides assessment, intensive outpatient treatment, and detox for substance abusers. Also provides general outpatient services for substance abusers and their family members, and for adult children of alcoholics. Accepts most insurance. Sliding-scale fees.

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**Greenbrook Recovery Center** (St. Joseph Mercy Health System), 400 Russell, Saline, 429-1592. This center provides residential and outpatient treatment for chemically dependent adults.

**McAuley Outpatient Chemical Dependency Recovery Center** (St. Joseph Mercy Health System), 2006 Hogback, 712-2595. Intensive outpatient therapy for chemically dependent adults, adolescents, and children.

**Older Adult Recovery Center**, 955 W. Eisenhower Cir., Suite E, 665-5070. This satellite office of Chelsea Community Hospital is an intensive day-treatment program serving chemically dependent people age 55 and older and their families. Peer and staff counseling. Accepts most insurance. Limited sliding-scale fees.

**Smoke Stoppers** (St. Joseph Mercy Health System), 712-4141. Professionals assist nicotine-patch users and others who wish to quit smoking through education and support.

**Washtenaw Council on Alcoholism**, 2301 Platt, 971-7900. Provides outpatient group and individual therapy for individuals who have had alcohol and other drug problems. Also, community education and prevention programs. Most insurance accepted; sliding-scale fees available. Web: comnet.org/wca

#### CHILDBIRTH

See also **Childbirth, Family Planning, & Adoption in Community Services**, p. 111.

**Family Birth Place** (St. Joseph Mercy Health System), 712-5400, (800) 231-2211. Includes 17 labor-delivery-recovery rooms (8 available for postpartum care), a mother-baby unit with a nursery, and a 15-bed special care nursery. Call to arrange for obstetrical tours and prenatal classes. The center offers prenatal and postpartum exercise classes; call 712-3094.

**Informed Birth and Parenting**, P.O. Box 3675, AA 48106, 662-6857. Offers referrals to midwives, childbirth educators, and labor support. Stocks hard-to-find books and videos on pregnancy, birth, and early childhood.

**Michigan Midwives Association**, (800) 247-8448. Maintains a directory of Michigan midwives and related services, many pertaining to childbirth. Those listed in this directory are not required to be licensed.

**Nurse-Midwifery Service**, U-M Medical Center, Obstetrics and Gynecology Department, 763-2311. Eight certified nurse-midwives deliver approximately 400 babies annually, accounting for 16 percent of U-M Medical Center births. This service is billed through normal U-M Hospital channels and thus is acceptable to many insurance companies; M-Care members also may use the service.

**Women's Hospital**, U-M Medical Center, 936-4000. Offers obstetrical care for normal and high-risk pregnancies.

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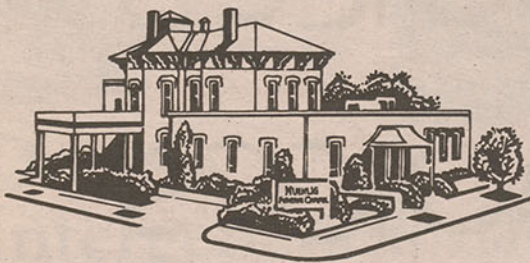
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The School of Dentistry emergency clinic operates on a walk-in basis and treats the most serious needs first. For emergency appointment information call 763-3374.

**Dental Faculty Associates** is a private practice within the U-M School of Dentistry where patients are treated exclusively by faculty dentists who offer a full range of dental services. Clinic hours are Mon.-Fri. 8 a.m.-5 p.m. For information and appointments call 764-3155.

**Washtenaw District Dental Society**, 761-2445. Refers callers to dentists who practice in the Washtenaw County area. Mon.-Fri. 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

## FAMILY PLANNING

**Planned Parenthood of Mid-Michigan**, 3100 Professional (off Huron Pkwy. south of Washtenaw). Clinic: 973-0155, office: 973-0710. Nonprofit reproductive health care center providing gynecological exams and Pap smears, birth control information and supplies, free pregnancy testing and counseling, prenatal services, natural family planning, abortions, vasectomies, testing and treatment for sexually transmitted diseases, anonymous HIV/AIDS testing and counseling, and services for menopausal women; also, public speakers and peer educators in local high schools. Sliding scale fees. Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m. (Tues. Thurs. till 8 p.m.), Sat. 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m.

## HEAD PAIN

**Michigan Head Pain & Neurological Institute (MHNI)**, 3120 Professional. 973-1155. With its affiliated inpatient unit at Chelsea Community Hospital, this accredited outpatient facility provides intensive treatment of headaches and related disorders. A referral is preferred but not required.

## HOSPICE & HOME HEALTH CARE

This section lists Medicare/Medicaid-certified hospice care providers for the terminally ill, as well as hospital-affiliated and nonprofit home health care providers for patients with non-life-threatening illnesses. Local hospice and home nursing agencies often share personnel, companies, facilities, and staff; in these cases they are listed together. For additional listings, look under Nurses in the Yellow Pages; for nonmedical in-home and day care facilities, see Adult Day & Respite Care in Community Services, p. 111.

**Arbor Hospice Home Care**, 3810 Packard Rd. 677-0500. Provides professional nursing in the home, nursing homes, or hospitals, for adults and children facing a serious illness. The Care-ousel program provides family-centered care for seriously ill children. Under a physician's direction, Care-ousel provides nursing care, family counseling, and support for the ill child and siblings.

**Hospice of Washtenaw**, 806 Airport Dr. 327-3400. Nonprofit organization affiliated with the St. Joseph Mercy Health System. Provides



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**Huron Valley Visiting Nurses**, 2850 South Industrial, Suite 75. 677-1515. Private, nonprofit organization comprised of two home nursing agencies affiliated with the U-M Medical Center. Services include adult health care, maternal/child health services, and rehabilitation services. **Visiting Care** provides hourly private-duty care. The **Visiting Nurse Association** is a Medicare/Medicaid-certified agency providing skilled, regulated care.

**Individualized Home Nursing Care, Inc.**, 3003 Washtenaw, Suite 2. 971-0444. This agency provides visiting registered and licensed nurses, physical therapists, medical social workers, dietitians, and certified home health aides, as well as health care education for clients and their families. **Individualized Hospice** is an affiliated nonprofit agency providing care for the terminally ill and bereavement support for families. **Individualized Home Care, Inc.** (Suite 5, 971-4200), is a related agency offering 24-hour custodial care. Sliding-scale fees for all services.

**Residence of Arbor Hospice**, 2366 Oak Valley Dr. 677-0500. A 30-bed hospice residence, scheduled to open in January 1998, for terminally ill patients who cannot remain at home.

**St. Joseph Mercy Home Care**, 806 Airport. 741-5700. Part of St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, this agency provides in-home health care, therapy, and equipment for frail, ill, or disabled people.

**Skilled Home Health Care**, 124 Pearl, Suite 500, Ypsilanti 48197. 483-1418. This nonprofit agency sponsored by Child and Family Service-Huron Services for Youth provides registered nurses, psychiatric nurses, physical therapists, occupational therapists, speech therapists, medical social workers, and certified home health aides to assist ill, frail elderly, or disabled people. Medicare, Medicaid, and other insurance accepted.

#### MENTAL ILLNESS

Only hospital-affiliated treatment programs are listed here. For additional programs, see *Counseling & Recovery in Community Services*, p. 111, or check the Yellow Pages under *Mental Health Services*.

**Chelsea Partial Hospital**, 955 W. Eisenhower Cir., Suite H. 996-1010. This psychiatric day hospital, a part of Chelsea Community Hospital's behavioral health services, offers intensive short-term outpatient treatment of major

mental illnesses. Also treats those who have been released recently from inpatient care. Referral required. Sponsors a Family Education Series (see Community Services, p. 111).

**Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Hospital**, U-M Medical Center. 764-7269. This hospital provides short-term treatment for autism, depression, mood, behavior, attention deficit, eating, and anxiety disorders, and pervasive developmental disorders.

**McAuley Outpatient Mental Health Services** (St. Joseph Mercy Health System), 2006 Hogback Rd. 712-2595. Offers outpatient services for adults, adolescents, and children through individual, family, and group therapy. Provides psychiatric evaluation and educational evaluation.

**Psychiatry outpatient programs**, U-M Medical Center. 764-9190, (800) 525-5188. Short- and long-term treatment for depression, anxiety, schizophrenia, and other mental illness; programs in marital and couples therapy, psychotherapy, and group therapy. Professionally staffed; emphasis on cognitive-behavioral and biological approaches.

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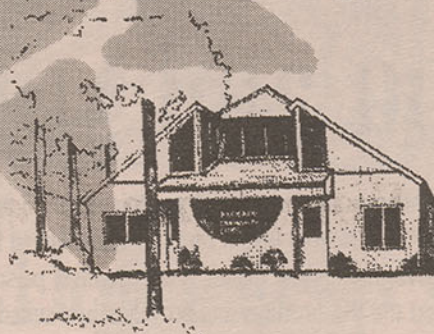
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## HEALTH CARE

anonymous and confidential HIV/AIDS testing and counseling. Appointments can be booked by phone, 994 Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-5 p.m. (usually two weeks in advance). The STD clinic operates on a first-come, first-served walk-in basis Mon. & Tues. 6:30-9 p.m. and Wed. 9-11:30 a.m. (no walk-ins accepted after 10:30 a.m.). A one-hour marriage class, offered every Thursday, 6 p.m., provides counseling on HIV and STD. This counseling is required before Michigan couples can obtain the health certificate required for a marriage license application. Call for an appointment; fees are \$15/individual, \$25/couple (cash or money order only).

**HIV/AIDS Resource Center (HARC)**, 307 Clark Rd., Suite 203, Ypsilanti. 572-9355 (800) 578-2300. The only agency of its kind in the county, HARC provides direct care services to persons living with HIV as well as testing and prevention programs. Serves as a clearinghouse for HIV-related information. Case management unit coordinates care plans with hospitals and doctors. Offers early intervention services aimed at educating at-risk populations. Also support groups, educational materials, newsletter, referrals, speakers' bureau, and workshops.

**University Health Service**, 207 Fletcher. 763-4511. The U-M Health Service offers an HIV testing program with three testing options. To make an appointment, call 763-4511. Walk-in testing is available at the Nurse Clinician Mon.-Fri. 2-4 p.m. (except June, July, & August). Availability is limited and walk-in patients will be seen on a first-come, first-served basis. There's no fee for enrolled U-M students, or UHS prepaid health plan members. The cost for all others is \$20. A home test kit can also be purchased from the UHS Pharmacy for \$40, allowing the test to be done in the privacy of one's home. Results are available in one week by phone from the test company. Call 763-6969 for further information.

### WOMEN'S HEALTH

**Breast Care Center**, U-M Medical Center. 936-6000. Screening and treatment center for benign and cancerous breast problems. Mon.-Fri. 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

**Comprehensive Breast Center**, 4012 Clark. 677-8200. Mammograms and breast cancer detection. Business office Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Call for appointment; evening and Saturday appointments available.

**McAuley Breast Care**, Reichert Health Bldg. 712-5900. Mammograms, education, a self-examination video, and other programs. Mon.-Fri. 8 a.m.-6 p.m.

**U-M Breast Cancer Detection Center**. Three locations: East Ann Arbor Health Center, 426 Plymouth Road; Cancer Center and Geriatric Center, U-M Medical Center; Briarwood Radiology, 325 Briarwood. Scheduling for all centers: 936-6274, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Mammogram services.

**Women's Health Center**, Chelsea Hospital. 775 S. Main, Chelsea. 475-3979. Annual pelvic examinations and Pap smears; wide variety of women's health services. Mammography through Chelsea Community Hospital. The only outpatient women's center in Washtenaw County that offers programs on PMS management. Also offers occasional evening programs on women's health issues.

### SUPPORT GROUPS

This list focuses on support groups not associated with area hospitals. The U-M Medical Center, St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, and Chelsea Community Hospital also sponsor many support groups. To locate hospital-based groups, ask your doctor or call the social work department at the U-M Medical Center (764-



RE St. Joseph Mercy Hospital (712-3519),  
elsea Community Hospital (475-3952).

#### MENTAL ILLNESS SUPPORT GROUPS

OS testice for the Mentally Ill of Washtenaw  
e booty, 994-6611. Educational meetings and  
weekly support groups for parents, siblings,  
n a files, and friends of individuals recovering  
& Th mental illness. Call for meeting locations  
no wa further information.

Circle Community Center, 102 N.  
lton, Ypsilanti. 485-2020. Open 7 days;  
or hours. Clubhouse supports members  
ering from mental illness as they become  
fully participating citizens of the com-  
y. Provides opportunities for work and  
ng, leisure, health, a sense of belonging,  
self-acceptance.

on Valley Child Guidance Clinic, 2940  
orth, Ypsilanti. 971-9605. Counseling for  
ren from infancy to age 18. Individual,  
p, and family counseling offered. Thera-  
ic day camp in summer. Sliding-scale fees;  
icaid and other insurance accepted.

ic-Depressive and Depressive Associa-  
Call Pam Trostle, 971-6342. A self-help  
for manic-depressives and depressives  
their friends and families. Meets in four  
ions: Senior Health Building, Rm. 1335,  
Joseph Mercy Health System, second and  
th Wed. 7-9 p.m.; First Congregational  
rch, 608 E. William, first, third, & fifth  
rs. 7-9 p.m.; Riverview Bldg., 900 Wall  
every Fri. 2-4 p.m.; Community Mental  
alth, 2140 E. Ellsworth, every Thurs.  
n-2 p.m.

ject Transition. 994-1600. Nonprofit  
cy helping people with mental health dis-  
ties to lead lives without hospitalization,  
ation, or homelessness. Group meetings  
es. 1-3 p.m., Church of the Good Shep-  
d, 2145 Independence; and Wed. 1-3 p.m.,  
Congregational Church, 218 N. Adams,  
ilanti. Consumer-run drop-in center Fri.  
on-4 p.m., First Congregational Church,  
ilanti. Also, social and recreational activi-  
es, including a bowling league that meets  
n. 2-4 p.m.

ailblazers, 218 N. Division. 665-7665. Pre-  
ational and vocational rehabilitation pro-  
an for adults recovering from major mental  
esses. For membership information, call  
riam Jones at the above number. Mon.-Fri.  
30 a.m.-4:45 p.m.

#### GENERAL RESOURCES

ridge of Hope Resource Center (Arbor  
ospice), 3810 Packard, Suite 200. 677-0500.  
Offers information and support to individuals  
cently diagnosed with a life-threatening ill-  
ess. Books, tapes, and videos on loan. Mon.-  
Fri. 1-4 p.m.

#### CANCER SUPPORT GROUPS

American Cancer Society. 971-4300. Call  
for the name and phone number of a support  
group addressing the specific type of cancer.  
At least 14 are available. Many meet at either  
U-M Hospital or at the Education Building at  
St. Joseph Mercy Hospital.

#### SUPPORT GROUPS FOR OTHER PHYSICAL ILLNESSES

AIDS Hotline (Michigan). (800) 872-2437.  
Information about HIV, and referrals to agen-  
cies, clinics, and other resources, including na-  
tional and statewide hotlines. Run by AIDS  
Partnership Michigan.

Alzheimer's Association-South Central  
Michigan. 741-8200, (800) 782-6110. Pro-  
vides local support groups for family and care-  
givers, early stage support group, information  
and referral Helpline, educational workshops,  
care management, and speaker's bureau. Call  
for more information.

Amputee Support Group, Michigan Heart  
and Vascular Institute. 712-3546. A series of  
six group sessions that provides education  
and support for persons with amputations,

their families, and friends. Free. Call for  
more information.

Ann Arbor Area Stroke Club (American  
Heart Association). Call Judy Mikola, 712-  
2426. Support and education for recovering  
stroke patients and their families and friends.  
Meets first Tues. at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital  
rehabilitation area, and for breakfast at an area  
restaurant every third Sat. Also publishes a  
newsletter.

Diabetes Support Group. Call Linda, 994-  
4948. Meeting for adults with diabetes and  
members of their personal support group. Meets  
third Mon. 7-9 p.m., First United Methodist  
Church, 120 S. State. No meeting in January.

Heart to Heart, Michigan Heart and Vascular  
Institute. 712-3546. A six-week program de-  
signed to provide support and information for  
cardiac patients. Free. Call for information.

Hemophilia Foundation of Michigan, 117 N.  
First, Suite 40. 761-2535. This statewide orga-  
nization coordinates services for people affect-  
ed by hereditary bleeding disorders. Services  
include individual and family counseling, refer-  
rals, advocacy, vocational guidance, financial  
assistance, academic awards, summer camps,  
insurance information and assistance, two  
newsletters, and free medical emergency tags.  
Also coordinates medical care with the U-M  
Coagulation Disorders Program (936-6393).

HIV/AIDS Resource Center (HARC). (800)  
578-2300. Comprehensive case management  
unit coordinates care plans with hospitals and  
doctors. Volunteer program offers direct care,  
education, and support. HARC's early inter-  
vention and substance abuse unit works in  
neighborhoods warning children about HIV/  
AIDS and providing services to at-risk popula-  
tions. Also offers support groups, educational  
materials, newsletter, referrals, speakers' bu-  
reau, workshops, and testing.

Implanted Cardioverter Defibrillator Sup-  
port Group, Michigan Heart and Vascular In-  
stitute. 712-8036. For patients who have  
ICDs, their families, and significant others.  
Meets every other month; call for information.

Multiple Sclerosis Society. Call Jody, 663-  
0785. Support group for people with MS and  
their families and friends. Meets every Mon.  
(except holidays), 7-8:30 p.m., Center for In-  
dependent Living, 2568 Packard (George-  
town Mall).

National Kidney Foundation of Michigan,  
2350 S. Huron Pkwy. 971-2800, (800) 482-  
1455. Offers counseling and referral services  
for kidney and urinary disease patients and their  
families. Sponsors patient advocacy, educa-  
tional workshops, and family and child camps. Of-  
fice hours: Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.

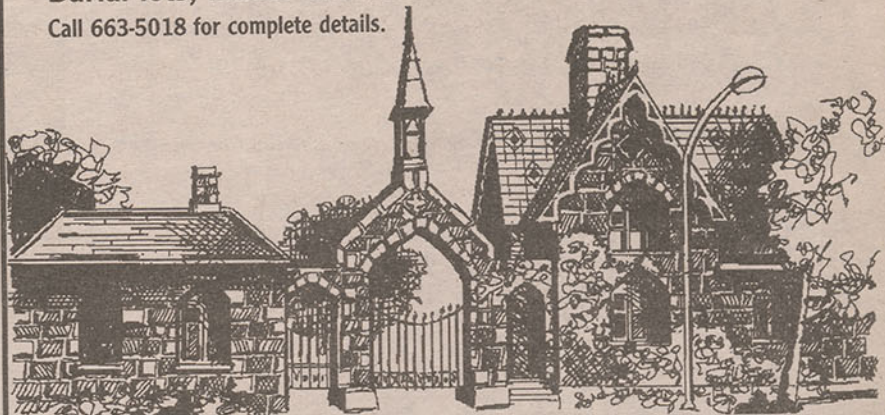
Partners at Heart, Michigan Heart and Vas-  
cular Institute. 712-3546. A six-week program  
for the spouses and significant others of car-  
diovascular patients that provides information  
and support as they deal with the changes that  
accompany having a loved one with this diag-  
nosis. Free. Call for more information.

Post-Polio Connection. Call Lena, 936-  
6272. Education and support group for per-  
sons who have had polio and their families.  
Discussion-oriented bimonthly meetings. \$1  
donation requested. Call for meeting times,  
dates, and location.

Reflex Sympathetic Dystrophy Support  
Group. 428-9377. Support group and infor-  
mation for people with RSD and their fami-  
lies and friends. Information packets avail-  
able to the public. Meets third Mon. 6:30  
p.m., St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Education  
Center Auditorium.

Washtenaw County Help Group (Herpes  
Support Group). 426-2613. Confidential sup-  
port group for individuals with herpes. Meets  
third Wed. 7 p.m. (newcomer orientation 6:30  
p.m.), St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Education  
Center, 5305 E. Huron River Dr., classroom 2.  
For additional information regarding herpes,  
call the National Herpes Hotline, (919)  
361-8488.

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A user's guide to helping services.

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S indicates special programs for seniors.  
V denotes a service that welcomes volunteer assistance.

## UMBRELLA ORGANIZATIONS

**Washtenaw United Way**, 971-8200. A countywide fund-raising organization that supports many community health and human service programs.

**Nonprofit Enterprise at Work**, operates the NEW Center at 1100 N. Main, Suite 102. The building offers space for small- and medium-sized nonprofit agencies. Currently serving 21 tenants, the center provides facilities, information, and support services, including a nonprofit resources library with a librarian, and offers educational programs and leadership development. For more information, call 998-0160.

## ADULT DAY & RESPITE CARE

**Adult Day Care Center** (Child and Family Service-Huron Services for Youth), 3879



Senior day care is available at the Adult Day Care Center, operated by Child and Family Service-Huron Services for Youth (Adult Day & Respite Care).

Packard. 973-1900, ext. 229. Provides day care Mon.-Fri. 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. for seniors who cannot function independently. Offers support groups, social activities, health monitoring, and a hot lunch. S, V

**Home Support Services** (Child and Family Service-Huron Services for Youth), 118 S. Washington, Ypsilanti. 480-1800. Offers assistance with personal care, housekeeping, meals, and laundry. Respite care. Grant-funded programs for seniors. Call for more information. S

**Interfaith Volunteer Caregivers** (Catholic Social Services), Senior Health Bldg., 5361 McAuley. 712-3625. Free, in-home assistance for older adults including shopping, meal preparation, and respite care, giving family members much needed breaks. No fee. V

**Skilled Support Services** (Child and Family Service-Huron Services for Youth), 124 Pearl, Suite 500, Ypsilanti. 483-1418. Provides professional home care by physical, occupational, and speech therapists, registered and psychiatric nurses, and medical social workers.

## CHILDBIRTH, FAMILY PLANNING, & ADOPTION

**American Academy of Husband-Coached Childbirth**. (800) 42-BIRTH. Offers referrals to local Bradley method instructors.

**Catholic Social Services Adoption Placement and Services**, 4925 Packard Rd. 971-9781, ext. 417. Provides ethical, comprehensive and professional services to those whose lives are or have been touched by adoption. Birth parents are able to choose, meet, and enter into an ongoing relationship with the adoptive parents for their child. Adoptive parents receive education and family assessment services to help prepare them to be "the best adoptive parents they can be." Adult adoptees and birth parents are assisted with search and reunion services. No fee for birth parents.

**Catholic Social Services Pregnancy Counseling**, 4925 Packard Rd. 971-9781, ext. 417. Assists clients facing an untimely pregnancy explore parenting, co-parenting, guardianship, or adoption. No fee.

**Families Supporting Adoption**. Call Anne

Martino, 434-2603, or Beverly Fish, 484-1897. Provides a support group for families with adopted children, plans family events, and organizes play groups. Special interest group for parents of Korean children.

**Informed Home Birth**. 662-6857. Offers information regarding nutrition, exercises, breathing techniques, normal labor and delivery, complications, emotional and psychological issues of pregnancy, and breast-feeding. Also, referral to lay and nurse midwives and labor assistance.

**Father Patrick Jackson House Program**, 1014 S. Main. 761-1440. Nondenominational program offering transitional housing for teenagers who are pregnant or have one child. Residents pursue high school diploma or GED or work or volunteer for a minimum of 20 hours per week. Women receive guidance with parenting and independent living skills.

**La Leche League**. 994-0113. Support and information for mothers who wish to breast-feed their babies or who are already nursing. Meeting times and locations vary; call for information. V

**Lamaze Childbirth Preparation Association**,

## animal adoptions

### The Humane Society of Huron Valley

*Offering the pick of the litter*

In the last five years, the Humane Society of Huron Valley has transformed its shelter on Cherry Hill Road. "It used to be so crowded," says Andra Bostian-Ferguson, the society's director of development. "It was so full you couldn't even count the number of heads in a cage." Now, she says, cages rarely house more than two animals each.

The center of the shelter's transformation, workers say, is a decrease in the number of stray animals brought to the shelter—from 20,000 a year in the 1950s, to 10,000 a year in the 1980s, to just 7,000-8,000 a year today. They credit the decline to an educated and concerned public who have heeded the Humane Society's pleas to neuter their pets, and to the shelter's own implementation of a strict neutering policy. Before they leave the shelter, all animals over six months old are spayed or neutered. Younger pets are adopted under a contract that requires owners to bring them back for neutering once they reach the minimum age. According to Lois Thompson, executive director of the shelter,

98 percent comply with the contract.

Bostian-Ferguson sits with a massive chocolate-brown Doberman sprawled across her lap. At ninety-six pounds, Cody, the office mascot, more closely resembles a small horse than a dog, but when he roams the office, greeting guests and visiting staff, his presence is anything but intimidating. He fits in naturally with the shelter's fast-paced, comfortable atmosphere.

The local shelter is more successful than most at finding adoptive homes for its animals. But it doesn't give them to just anyone. "People are required to go through an adoption screening," explains Bostian-Ferguson. "If you don't pass that screening, we don't allow that person to adopt."

Betsy Parks, who adopted her cat, Einstein, from the shelter, says she appreciates the organization's efforts. "I was impressed with the thoroughness of the procedure," she says. "During the screening interview, the adoption counselors asked me all kinds of questions about past pets and where I lived." And she had to wait until Einstein went through feline leukemia testing before she could take him home.

"Our dogs are temperament-tested and all animals are completely vaccinated," says Thompson. "You know what you're getting when you adopt. You're getting a quality animal."

Parks agrees: "I knew my pet was healthy and they knew exactly what kind of owner I would be. The interest they take in the animal's well-being is wonderful. I absolutely love Einstein ...



William Martin and Scooter.

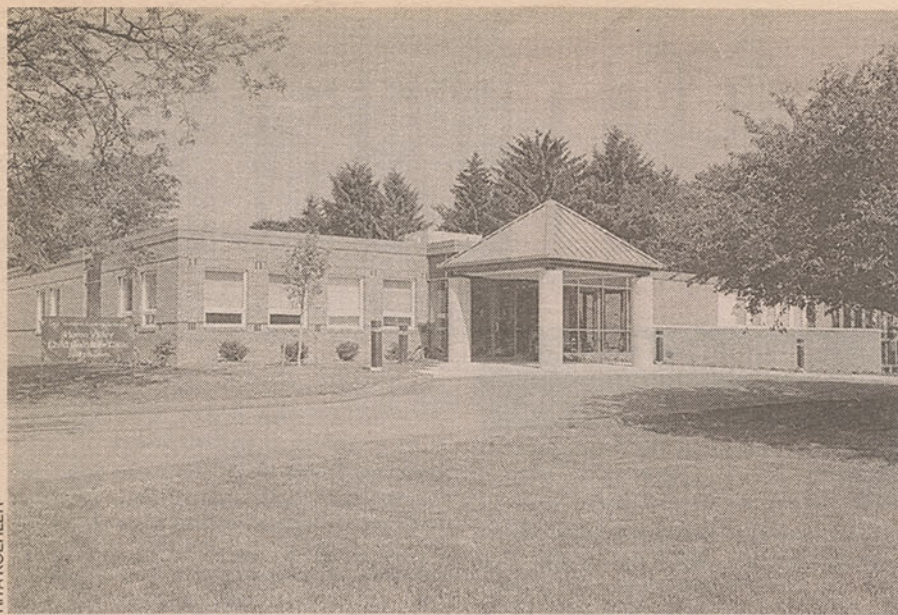
he's one of those very affectionate cats and such a smart little guy."

William Martin is a longtime patron of the Humane Society and a firm believer in shelter adoption. "I adopted my first dog in 1964 and have adopted all of my dogs from the Humane Society since," he says. "I've never had any trouble with my dogs. They take a little training at first, but that's the fun of owning a pet."

"You can't lose. You're saving a life, and you're getting a good, loyal friend."

—Kristy Short





Huron Valley Child Guidance Clinic (Counseling & Recovery).

2500 Packard, Suite 101. 973-1014. Classes in childbirth preparation, infant care, cesarean birth, sibling preparation, and breast-feeding. Also, a parent-toddler play group and information on child care and time management for mothers returning to work. Yoga exercises, postpartum mothers' group, miscarriage and newborn loss support group, pregnancy after a loss group, and supportive counseling.

**Nurse Midwifery Service**, Maternal-Fetal Medicine, Mott Children's Hospital, Rm. F4835-0264, U-M Medical Center. 763-2311. Offers education and support for a natural, healthy birth. Call for information on orientation sessions, which are open to the public.

**Pregnancy Counseling Center**, 2950 Packard, Ypsilanti. 434-3088. In addition to pregnancy counseling, offers ongoing planning for mom and baby and **Stepping Stones**, a young-mom support group.

**Problem Pregnancy Help**, 3150 Packard. 975-4357. An agency providing 24-hour phone counseling, in-office counseling, and services on alternatives to abortion for all women (including teenage mothers). Provides baby and maternity clothing and baby equipment. Free pregnancy testing available.

**Resolve of Michigan**. (248) 680-0093. Support and education for people who have experienced fertility problems. Meets second Fri. 7 p.m., Education Center, classroom 4, St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, 5305 E. Huron River Dr.

**Single Mothers By Choice**. Call Colleen, 480-4303. Support group for women who have chosen or are considering single motherhood; provides information for mothers and works to foster community understanding of single motherhood. Meets third Sun. 3:30 p.m., varying locations.

**Washtenaw County Public Health Division**. 484-7200. Maternal and health care services include home visits to high-risk pregnant women, new mothers, and infants; immunizations; free prenatal and postpartum care for low-income women; food coupons for eligible women, infants, and children (WIC: for information, call 484-6770); and information and counseling about Sudden Infant Death Syndrome.

## COUNSELING & RECOVERY

See *Health Care*, p. 93, for mental health treatment. See *Substance Abuse Support Groups*, below, for *Alcoholics Anonymous* and other 12-step programs.

**Ann Arbor Community Center**, 625 N. Main. 662-3128. Individual, family, and group counseling in all areas, including parenting skills. Counseling services are also available at Northside Community Center, 815 Taylor. Sliding-scale fees. S

**Catholic Social Services**, 4925 Packard. 971-9781, ext. 315. Licensed clinical social

workers provide time-limited, solution-oriented therapy to individuals, couples, and families experiencing a wide variety of problems. Sliding-scale fees. S

**Center for Eating Disorders**, 552 S. Main. 668-8585. For people with compulsive eating disorders, bulimia, and anorexia nervosa. Anorexia/bulimia support group meets every Mon. 6-7 p.m. The compulsive overeater support group meets every Thurs. 5:30-6:30 p.m. Individual counseling and nutrition counseling also available. Nominal fees.

**Child and Family Service-Huron Services for Youth**, 3879 Packard. 973-1900. Counseling services and support programs for adolescents, older adults, individuals, couples, and families. Agency referral service available. Sliding-scale fees. Many insurance plans cover care.

**Cleptomaniacs and Shoplifters Anonymous** (C.A.S.A.). 913-6990. Self-help group for people who suffer from addiction to stealing. Confidential. Meets every Tues. 7-8:30 p.m., First Baptist Church, 512 Huron St.

**Debtors Anonymous**. Call Frances, 995-9874. 12-step recovery program for compulsive debtors. Meets every Fri. 6:15 p.m., basement meeting room, Maple Health Bldg., 501 N. Maple; every Sat. 11:15 a.m., Rm. 6, St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Education Center, 5305 Huron River Dr.

**Divorce Recovery Workshops**, Huron Hills Baptist Church, 3150 Glazier Way. 769-6299. Eight-week workshops offered once a year, usually in the fall. Lectures, followed by group discussion. Nominal cost includes books; free child care available.

**Gamblers Anonymous**. 24-hour hotline: (313) 535-3086. 12-step program aimed at compulsive gamblers. No meetings in Washtenaw County; call for times and locations of Detroit-area and Jackson-area meetings.

**Healing Grief Workshop**. 662-6270, ext. 1 (to register). A workshop for anyone who has had a loss or major life change. Meets fourth Tues. 7-8:30 p.m., meeting room, Friends Meetinghouse, 1420 Hill St.

**Huron Physical Therapy and Aquatics**, 485-5600. Offers a free chat line to answer questions about muscle, bone, or joint problems. The chat line is open Wed. 1-2 p.m.

**Huron Valley Child Guidance Clinic**, 2940 Ellsworth, Ypsilanti. 971-9605. Counseling for children from infancy-18 years. Individual, group, and family counseling offered. Therapeutic day camp in summer. Sliding-scale fees. Medicaid and other insurance accepted. V

**Jewish Family Services** (Jewish Social Services of Washtenaw County), 2939 Birch Hollow. 971-3641. Provides assessment, short-term intervention, and referrals to Jewish mental health professionals. Services designed to enhance identity and participation in the Jew-

ish community. Sliding-scale fees.

**Michigan Council on Problem Gambling**. (800) 270-7117. Hotline staffed 24 hours a day by trained counselors. Provides referrals to self-help groups and counselors.

**Overeaters Anonymous**. 995-7635. Self-help fellowship and support group for people recovering from compulsive overeating, anorexia nervosa, and bulimia. Twelve weekly meetings at various Ann Arbor locations.

**Psychological Clinic** (U-M), 525 E. University (entrance on Church). 764-3471. Clinic offers long- and short-term psychological counseling for individuals and couples. Sliding-scale fees. Mon.-Thurs. 8 a.m.-9 p.m., Fri. 8 a.m.-6 p.m.

**Recovery, Inc.** Call Donald, 769-1457. A community mental health organization which offers a professionally developed, systematic method of self-help for effective relief of a full range of emotional and relationship problems. Meets every Mon. 7:30 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, 1432 Washtenaw.

**Relationships Anonymous**. Call Sharon, 663-7874. Self-help support groups for men and women trying to improve relationships. Meetings include men and women. Sat. 10:30 a.m.-noon, First Presbyterian Church, 1432 Washtenaw.

**Samaritan Counseling Services**, First Baptist Church Campus Center, 502 E. Huron. 663-6671. This nonprofit, professional counseling and psychotherapy extension of Washtenaw County churches is a nondenominational organization which offers child, adolescent, family, couple, group, and individual counseling. Also offers psychological testing. Emphasis on integration of psychology and Christian theology; people of all faiths welcome. Sliding-scale fees.

**Soundings: A Center for Women** (now a part of LifeWork Center, a department of Child and Family Service-Huron Services for Youth), 4090 Packard. 973-7723. Individual and group counseling services for women, including post-divorce counseling, sexual abuse recovery, stress relief, self-esteem workshops, and job-readiness training (including workshops on topics such as resume writing). Call for more information. V

**U-M Psychiatric Emergency 24-hour Crisis Line**. 996-4747. Provides 24-hour counseling for suicide and other emotional emergencies.

## DEATH & BEREAVEMENT

**Arbor Hospice**, 3810 Packard, Suite 200. 677-0500. For hospice services, see *Health Care*, p. 93. Offers more than forty bereavement groups. The **Bridge of Hope Resource Center** lends books, pamphlets, and tapes, on death and bereavement.

**Bereavement Support Group** (St. Joseph Mercy Hospital). Call the Social Work office, 712-2920. Support for any adult who has experienced the death of an adult loved one. Meets second Thurs. 7-8:30 p.m., Reichert Health Center Library.

**Bereavement Support Groups** (University of Michigan Medical Center). Call the Social Work office, 764-3140.

**Care-ousel**, 3810 Packard Rd. 677-0500. Arbor Hospice's care for kids program helps children who are grieving the loss of someone close to them or are anticipating the loss of a loved one. It also helps seriously ill children and their families.

**Compassionate Friends**. Call Shirley Campbell, (517) 456-4716. Nonsectarian support group for parents whose children have died. Meets third Sun. 2:30-4:30 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, 1432 Washtenaw.

**Grief Recovery Seminar** (Hospice of Washtenaw). 327-3469. Presents seminars open to any adult grieving due to the death of a loved one. Five-week seminars conducted five times a year. Call for information and registration.

**Hospice of Washtenaw**, 806 Airport.

327-3400. For hospice services, see *Health Care*, p. 93. Bereavement and grief recovery workshops (in conjunction with St. Joseph Mercy Hospital) are open to anyone and of charge. S, V

**Miscarriage and Newborn Loss Support Group** (Lamaze Childbirth Preparation Association), 2500 Packard, Suite 101. 973-1014. Monthly support group meets with trained facilitators second Tues. 7-9 p.m. Also, *Pregnancy After a Loss* group, supportive counseling, and a lending library.

**Pregnancy Loss Program** (St. Joseph Mercy Hospital). 712-4193. Sponsors an ecumenical memorial service twice a year for anyone who has experienced a miscarriage, ectopic pregnancy, stillbirth, or newborn death. Service held at St. Joseph Hospital Chapel. Call for dates and times.

**Re-Connect of Michigan**, P.O. Box 1302, AA 48113-0226. 973-2006. Provides support activities, referrals, and some phone counseling for the bereaved, especially families with children. Also publishes a free bimonthly newsletter.

**Survivors of Suicide** (U-M Hospital Emergency Services). Call Marlene McGrath, 936-4960. Peer support group for people who have lost family members or close friends to suicide. Individual counseling also available.

## DISABILITIES

**Adapted Recreation** (Community Recreation and Education). 994-2300, ext. 232. The Arbor Public Schools' Rec & Ed department provides opportunities for people with disabilities to participate in classes or attend social events, including a teen club.

**ADDult Information Exchange Network** (ADDIEN), P.O. Box 1701, AA 48106. 482-1659. Nonprofit support organization for adolescents and adults with attention deficit disorder. Hosts the national Adult ADD Conference in Ann Arbor. E-mail: addinfo@addien.com

**Autism Society of Washtenaw County**. Call chair Lora Durham, 483-2540, or 994-8100, ext. 1514. Support group, a branch of the Autism Society of Michigan. Usually meets second Thurs. 7-9 p.m., Washtenaw Intermediate School District Bldg., 1819 S. Wagner. Call for specific information.

**Center for Independent Living**, 2568 Packard (Georgetown Mall). 971-0277. Text telephone: 971-0310, fax: (313) 971-0826. Jim Magyar, director. A multipurpose resource center for people with disabilities. Includes direct services, educational programs, and advocacy to enable disabled individuals to reach and maintain their highest level of independence. Open Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m. V

**Children With Attention Deficit Disorder** (CHADD), P.O. Box 1972, AA 48106. 668-9995. Education and support group for parents of children with attention deficit disorder and for adults with the disorder. Parents meet first Tues. 7-8:30 p.m.; adults with the disorder meet second & fourth Thurs. 7-8:30 p.m. Teaching and Learning Center, Washtenaw Intermediate School District Bldg., 1819 S. Wagner. V

**Down's Syndrome Support Group**. Call Debita Graham, 996-0770, or Dottie Novodoff, 663-0547. Support group for families of children with Down's syndrome. Time provided at each meeting for parents to talk with one another. Professional speakers are often invited. Meets monthly. Call for time and location.

**Family Support Network of Michigan** (Children's Special Health Care Services). Call Sue Carr, 994-8100, ext. 1515. Parent-driven support groups and referral service for parents of premature babies and children ages 5-26 with chronic illness or disability. Meets second Wed., High Point Center, 1819 S. Wagner. For meeting information, call Pennie Bresette, 761-7125. V

**Learning Disabilities Association of Michigan-Washtenaw County Chapter**. 973-





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414. Education and information group for parents and professionals, as well as support groups for parents of children and young adults with learning disabilities.

**Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped**, Washtenaw County Service Center, 4135 Washtenaw. 971-6059. Free library service for persons in Washtenaw, Jackson, and Livingston counties who are unable to read standard print materials due to visual or physical limitations. Staff can assist with selections and answer requests. Kurzweil and Vantage reading machines are available for on-site use. Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.

**Michigan Commission for the Blind** (Department of Labor). (517) 373-6425. Sponsors free teaching and training to help legally blind individuals move into competitive employment and maintain their own homes.

**Michigan Jobs Commission/Rehabilitation Services**, 3810 Packard, Suite 170. 677-1125. Vocational rehabilitation, training, counseling, and job placement assistance for disabled individuals in Washtenaw and Livingston counties. Participation in any service requires attending an orientation session held every Mon. 10 a.m.

**National Federation of the Blind, Washtenaw County Chapter**. 973-7439. Organization of blind people and others "committed to the cause of achieving security, equality, and opportunity" for the blind. Meets third Sat. 11 a.m.-1 p.m., Center for Independent Living, 2568 Packard Rd.

**Washtenaw Area Self-Help for Hard of Hearing People Inc.** Call the Center for Independent Living, 971-0277 (TDD: 971-0310). Support, education, and lobbying group for the hearing-impaired and their families and friends. Meets first Mon. 7 p.m., Fellowship Room, Salvation Army Citadel, 100 Arbana.

**Washtenaw Association for Community Advocacy**, NEW Center, 1100 N. Main, Suite 205. 662-1256. Provides advocacy, employment assistance, and support services for persons with developmental disabilities.

**Washtenaw County Veterans Services**, 2140 E. Ellsworth. 971-2195. Assists veterans and their dependents in the application and processing of benefit claims and VA pension checks. Also can provide emergency financial grants for food, utilities, and shelter; veterans' health care information; and substance abuse referrals.

## DONATIONS

**Ann Arbor Thrift Shop**, 1149 Broadway. 662-6771. Accepts clothing, shoes, toys, books, household goods, and small appliances. Donations accepted after the seventh of each

month. Proceeds support community service organizations and provide emergency aid for individuals through social agencies. Mon.-Fri. 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. (July & Aug.: Mon.-Sat. 10 a.m.-1 p.m.).

**Family Independence Agency**, Washtenaw County Volunteer Services Unit. 481-8396. Provides a youth companion program and referral services for those set up with an agency worker to locate special resources within the community. V

**House by the Side of the Road**, Washtenaw County Service Center, 4133 Washtenaw (entrance on Hogback Rd.). 971-2550. Accepts clothing, small household items, strollers, toys, and cribs (no other furniture) by appointment. Volunteers mend and sort donated clothing. Mon.-Fri. 10 a.m.-2 p.m., except holidays. V

**Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor-Downtown**, 200 S. First. 747-8200, 665-0450 (merchandise pickup). Accepts all sorts of used items, from clothing, toys, and books to furniture and small appliances. Donated items, which must be in working order, are sold at Saturday morning sales from 9 a.m.-noon. Proceeds help to fund Kiwanis community service projects. Drop-offs accepted at the Kiwanis Activities Center, 200 S. First, Thurs. & Sat. 9-11 a.m. only. Pickup service by appointment (665-0450).

**Red Cross Bloodmobile Clinics**. For information and appointments, call (800) 448-3543. Special blood donation clinics at various locations throughout the year. The Washtenaw donor center, 2725 Packard, is open for donations by appointment Mon.-Wed. 1-7 p.m., Fri. 10 a.m.-4 p.m.; during the summer: Sat. 8 a.m.-2 p.m.

**St. Vincent de Paul Store**, 1001 Broadway. 761-1400. Accepts clothing in good condition, toys, books, housewares, and small appliances. Proceeds supply food, housing, and medical expenses to anyone in need. Tues.-Fri. 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

**Salvation Army**. 668-8353. Accepts clothing, housewares, etc., at the drop-off station at 100 Arbana (at Huron). Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Pickup service available. No large items. Furniture can be donated to the thrift store at 1960 E. Michigan Ave., Ypsilanti. 483-6551. Mon.-Sat. 9 a.m.-4 p.m. To arrange furniture pickup call (313) 729-3939.

**Scrap Box**, 521 State Cir. 994-4420, 994-0012. Welcomes donations from businesses (remnants, samples, surpluses, seconds, packaging and display materials, etc.) and from individuals (thread, spools, corks, yarn, boxes, cans, tops, plastic dishes, etc.). Materials are sold by the bagful to children and others to build craft projects. Tues. 10 a.m.-6 p.m., Thurs. 2-6 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Call for extended summer hours.

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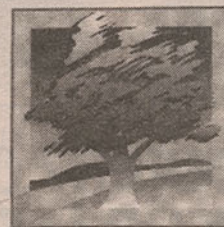
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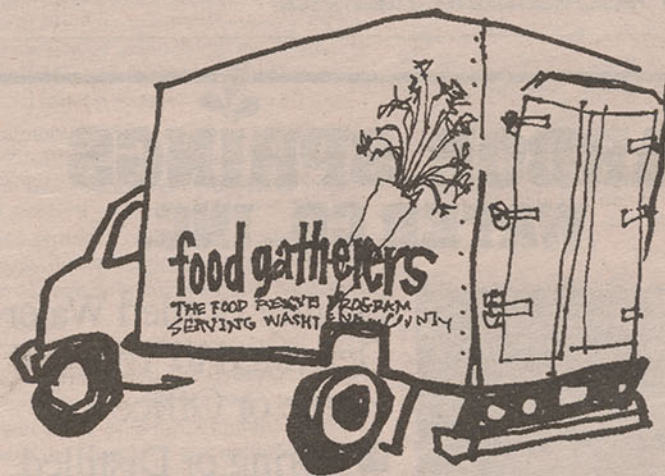
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## EMPLOYMENT EDUCATION & FINANCIAL PLANNING

Center for the Education of Women (U-M), 330 E. Liberty. 998-7080. Counseling for women who want to change jobs or go back to school. Career workshops offered; competitive fellowships and grants available.

Employment Training and Community Services Group (Washtenaw County), 555 Town-er, Ypsilanti (mailing address: P.O. Box 915, Ypsilanti 48197-0915). 484-6650. This county agency offers occupational and employability-skills training for youth, adults, older workers, teen parents, dislocated workers, ex-offenders, and others experiencing barriers to employment. Also offers summer employment for youths ages 14-21. Assistance with transportation and child care, and some school funding available. Participants must meet income eligibility guidelines.

LifeWork/Soundings (Child and Family Service-Huron Services for Youth), 4090 Packard. Call 973-7723 and ask for a LifeWork representative. Offers business training, personal growth workshops, and job counseling. Sliding-scale fees. The Senior Aide Program provides part-time paid internships for income-eligible individuals over 55. S, V

Michigan Employment Security Agency, 214 E. Michigan, Ypsilanti. 482-5202. This state agency pays unemployment compensation to laid-off workers and provides employment services, including job matching, aptitude tests and counseling, and workshops on job-seeking skills. Open Mon.-Wed. & Fri. 8:15 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Thurs. 9:15 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Call Mon.-Fri. 8:15 a.m.-noon & 1-4:30 p.m.

Michigan Indian Employment and Training Service, 1900 W. Stadium, Suite C2. 930-6860. Offers job placement, training services, and career counseling to income-eligible or unemployed Native Americans. Participants must be of at least one-quarter Indian heritage, as certified by a tribal agency.

Options Center, 2890 Carpenter, Suite 700. 677-1840. This employment skills center offers job training, referrals, assistance in finding a job, and individual counseling to ex-offenders 17 years and older. Various support groups also offered: women's group, children of offenders, men's work, and addictions support. V

Peace Neighborhood Center, 1111 N. Maple. 662-3564. Offers job placement assistance to Ann Arbor residents. A required skills evaluation helps place job seekers at area businesses. V E-mail: PNCfamily@aol.com

Soundings: A Center for Women (now a part of LifeWork Center, Child and Family Service-Huron Services for Youth), 4090 Packard. 973-7723. Offers support groups and workshops on employment and personal issues, job selection, financial planning, and assertiveness in the workplace. Maintains job postings from local companies. Do-it-yourself divorce kits available. Scholarships, sliding-scale fees. V

Washtenaw Alliance for Gifted Education, Washtenaw Intermediate School District Bldg., 1819 S. Wagner. 994-8100. Support group and education series for parents of children with exceptional talent or ability. Group meets six times each year. Call for more information.

Washtenaw Literacy, NEW Center, 1100 N. Main, Suite 112. 769-0099. Volunteers work one-on-one with adults who wish to improve their reading, writing, and spelling skills. Also offers English as a second language tutoring for adults whose native language is not English and who need to improve their reading, writing, speaking, and comprehension skills. An

English-speaking practice session is held Tues. 7-8:30 p.m., Community Rm., Park Meadows apartments, 2575 Sandalwood. Everyone is welcome to help at this session.

Women's Initiative for Self-Employment (WISE), 2002 Hogback, Suite 12. 677-1411. This organization, a program of Ann Arbor Community Development Corporation, provides business planning, credit education, personal development workshops, and an ongoing business support network to enable women to set up their own businesses. WISE provides small-business loans. Income-eligible participants throughout Washtenaw County should call for meeting dates and topics.

## ENVIRONMENT & ANIMAL WELFARE

Animal Welfare Society of Southeast Michigan. (248) 548-1150. Computer searches link people with pets available for adoption. Many pets available in the Washtenaw area. Provides outreach programs for schools and youth groups on animal care and safety. Volunteers donate pet food, toys, and grooming supplies that are distributed to income-eligible families. A cost-matching program is also available for veterinary services for low-income pet owners. V

Bird Rescue of Huron Valley, 4600 Saline Waterworks Rd., Saline 48176. 944-9666. Volunteer organization provides 24-hour rescue and rehabilitation of injured, sick, and orphaned wild birds. Volunteer training provided (state and federal permit compliance required). Also presents educational programs to community groups by arrangement. V

Ecology Center of Ann Arbor, 117 N. Division. 761-3186. Runs environmental education and advocacy programs for environmental health, solid waste and toxics reduction, sustainable land use, and Great Lakes protection. Offers presentations to school and youth groups throughout southeast Michigan and provides education about household toxic pesticides, industrial toxins, and other environmental hazards. Publishes the *Ecology Report* newsletter and *Michigan Toxics Watch*, and sponsors an annual Bike-a-thon and other fund-raisers. The center's library is open to the public Mon.-Fri. 1-5 p.m., and by appointment. (The Ecology Center is the parent organization of Recycle Ann Arbor.) V

Friends of Wildlife. 662-5585, ext. 105. 665-5592 (Humane Society of Huron Valley members). This organization does wildlife rehabilitation for injured and orphaned wild animals with the goal of returning them to their natural habitats. Also offers annual training for new volunteers. (Individuals who discover an animal that may be orphaned should call before disturbing the animal.) V

Humane Society of Huron Valley, 310 Cherry Hill. Administration and shelter: 662-5585. Spay and neuter clinic: 662-4365. (See box, p. 111.) The Humane Society provides shelter for stray or unwanted pets, 24-hour emergency rescue, cruelty investigation, low-cost spay and neuter clinic, wildlife rehabilitation, lost-and-found services to reunite pets with their owners, microchip identification scanning, and animal euthanasia. Also sponsors Therapet, a pets-by-prescription program, which provides pet therapy to infirm or disabled patients at area hospitals, nursing homes, and private homes. V

Project Grow, P.O. Box 8645, AA 48107. 996-3169. Sponsors community gardening sites at seven Ann Arbor locations. Plots for the 1998 growing season should be reserved by mid-March for returning gardeners and after mid-March for new gardeners. Also offers composting and organic gardening and children's gardening classes. Permanent raised beds available for the handicapped.

Washtenaw County MSU Extension, Washtenaw County Service Center, 4133 Washtenaw





**Ozone House offers free counseling for troubled young people and their families.**

## FAMILY & PARENTING SERVICES

**Ann Arbor Center for the Family**, 2300 Washtenaw, Suite 203. 995-5181. A group of mental health professionals in private practice provides direct treatment services for individuals, couples, and families. Special programs for separated, divorced, remarried, and nontraditional families; divorce mediation services; support groups for stepchildren and their parents. Call for information about fees.

**Ann Arbor Community Center**, 625 N. Main. 662-3128. Offers parenting classes several times a year. Call for meeting times.

**Big Brothers/Big Sisters** (Child and Family Service-Huron Services for Youth), 1954 South Industrial, Suite A. 332-8773. Matches each adult volunteer to a school-age child, generally one living with a single parent, who needs stability and companionship. V

**Bryant Community Center**, 3 W. Eden. 994-2722. Sponsors after-school activities for elementary-age youth. Arranges community and family group trips. Call to get on the mailing list or to register for a trip. Also sponsors the **Neighborhood Education Series** on Friday mornings; topics range from cancer control and AIDS to financial planning and tax tips.

**Catholic Social Services**, 4925 Packard. 971-9781. Individual, couple, family, post-adoption, and gay/lesbian counseling services. Sliding-scale fees. Individual and group classes on family life issues: marriage preparation, parenting skills/issues, and marriage enrichment and intervention.

**Catholic Social Services Family Life Education**, 4925 Packard. 971-9781, ext. 326. Skill-building workshops are offered year-round for marriage preparation, parenting, family stress management, and creating stronger marriages through the Hosea Project. Sliding-scale fees.

**Center for the Child and Family (U-M)**, 525 East University, Suite 1465 (entrance on Church). 764-9466. UCCF offers evaluation

and long- and short-term psychological counseling for children, adolescents, couples, and families. Groups available for children of divorce and for social skills. Sliding-scale fees; some insurances accepted.

**Child and Family Service-Huron Services for Youth**, 1952 South Industrial. 994-4224. Works to strengthen families through prevention and treatment programs, including intensive in-home short-term counseling for recently reunited families and teen parent support programs. Offers residential treatment or foster care for children outside the home, including supervised independent living and life-skills counseling for teens ages 16-19. Also assists in the adoption of special-needs children. CFS-HSY offices at 3879 Packard (973-1900) and the **Child and Family Huron Services Student/Parent Center** at 550 Perry Street in Ypsilanti (482-9966) also offer counseling services and various support programs for families, including teenage and disadvantaged parents. Sliding-scale fees; many insurance plans cover care. V

**Child Care Network**, NEW Center, 1100 N. Main, Suite 201. 761-6040. Information on child care centers, family day care homes, parent education, and types of financial assistance. Also publishes *Children's Yellow Pages*, a guide to parents' resources in Washtenaw County. Web: [comnet.org/fsn](http://comnet.org/fsn)

**Children of Cancer Patients Support Group** (St. Joseph Mercy Hospital). 712-3958. The group helps children up to high school age whose parents have cancer come to terms with their parents' illnesses.

**Community Action Network**, 2301 Platt. 677-3033. Provides an array of services to eligible families, primarily in southeast Ann Arbor. Also offers advocacy and referral services for parents, emergency food distribution, and substance abuse education. V

**COPE O'Brien Youth Center**, 2260 Platt. 971-7870. Provides support services for adolescents at risk for school delinquency, drug use, and criminal activity. Includes a day treatment program, emergency shelter, foster care, alternative education, and delinquency and school dropout prevention services. Youths may be enrolled through referrals by the juvenile court, local schools, or the Family Independence Agency. Children seeking emergency shelter can request a referral from the Family Independence Agency (481-2000). Open year-round, Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. The Cope O'Brien Ypsilanti office (415 W. Michigan Ave., 484-6699) offers two new programs: SHIP (Supportive Home-based In-

tervention Program) for at-risk families, and Middle School Alternative Program for youth ages 10-13 who have been expelled from school for weapon possession. V

**Fathers for Equal Rights**. Call Leigh Travis, 761-3427. Support group for divorced and divorcing fathers affiliated with the National Congress for Fathers and Children. Services include case preparation, paralegal services, and attorney referrals.

**Grandparents as Parents** (Catholic Social Services), Senior Health Building, 5361 McAuley Dr. 712-2077. Offers grandparents who are raising their grandchildren the opportunity to share common experiences, to better understand their grandchildren's special needs, to locate resources, and to gain information from community professionals.

**Huron Valley Mothers of Multiples**. Call Linda Gurka, 483-1703. Support group and social organization for families rearing multiple-birth children. Meets third Mon. 7 p.m. (Aug.-May), Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, 1400 W. Stadium. Nonmedical support network for women expecting twins, triplets, or higher-order multiples, and for new mothers. Provides speakers on multiples-related and general parenting topics, age-oriented discussion groups, semiannual clothing and toy exchanges, and social activities. Expectant and new mothers attend as guests. Membership: \$25/year.

**I Can Cope** (St. Joseph Mercy Hospital). 712-2920. Cosponsored by the American Cancer Society, this seven-week education and support program helps patients and their families and friends learn more about living with cancer.

**Jewish Family Services** (Jewish Federation of Washtenaw County), 2939 Birch Hollow. 971-3641. Provides social services, mental health services, and education and support through **Family Life Education** workshops for Jewish individuals and families. Also offers a program for Jews from the former Soviet Union resettling in the Ann Arbor area (971-3280) and a fee-for-service Jewish singles introduction service. JFS is designed to enhance identity and participation in the Jewish community. Sliding-scale fees. V

**McAuley Mental Health Outpatient Services**. 712-2595. Offers a number of support services such as outpatient mental health for families and ADD (attention deficit disorder) services. Call for more information.

**Northside Community Center**, 815 Taylor. 662-4882. The Ann Arbor Community Center offers a variety of activities at the Northside Community Center, including youth tutoring and special interest groups.

**Ozone House**, 1705 Washtenaw. 24-hour hotline: 662-2222. Youth crisis intervention center offers free counseling, by phone or in person, for troubled young people and their families. Also provides emergency housing, support groups, youth independent living services, housing advocacy, and community education programs.

**Parent Aides** (Catholic Social Services), 4925 Packard. 971-9781, ext. 417. Trained community volunteers who offer supportive mentoring services to young, pregnant women throughout the pregnancy and until the child's first birthday. The focus is on strengthening self-esteem, finding and utilizing community resources, understanding age-appropriate development, and building positive parent-child interactions. No fee. V

**Parents Anonymous**. Call Nadine or Jerry, 475-3305. Self-help support group for parents who have abused or feel they are capable of abusing their children. Call for information.

**Parents Without Partners**. For information, call 973-1933. Support group for single parents. Family and adults-only activities include discussion groups, sports, dances, and dinners.

**Peace Neighborhood Center**, 1111 N. Maple. 662-3564. Offers a variety of educational and recreational programs for youth, including after-school elementary clubs, career exploration, homework help, counseling, health

seminars, and recreation for teens. V E-mail: [PNCFamily@aol.com](mailto:PNCFamily@aol.com)

**Phone Pals** (American Red Cross). 971-PALS (971-7257). Volunteers take calls from children in fourth through seventh grades who are feeling scared, lonely, or bored. Phone Pals will discuss children's problems or concerns, play games, or just listen. No charge. 3-5 p.m., school year only. V

**Stepping Stones**. A young mom support group for single or married moms, ages 18-25, meets every Monday evening. Call Pregnancy Counseling Center, 434-3088, and ask for Jennifer. Free child care is provided.

**Washtenaw Area Council for Children**, 920 Miller, Rm. 305. 761-7071. This agency's goal is to prevent child abuse. Offers workshops for educators, a speakers' bureau, children's education projects, and child care for children whose parents are attending 12-step meetings. Also publishes the *Parenting Resources Directory*, a referral guide.

**Washtenaw County Public Health Division** (Children's Special Health Care Services), 555 Towner, Ypsilanti (mailing address: P.O. Box 9115, Ypsilanti 48197). 484-7215. Offers financial help to families with chronically ill children, newborn through age 21. Also helps families process applications to use these services.

## FOOD, SHELTER, & ASSISTANCE

**Ann Arbor Hunger Coalition**. 662-4060. Provides free evening meals every weekday, 5:30-6:30 p.m., at different churches: Mon.: First Congregational, 608 E. William (Sept.-May) or Bethlehem United Church of Christ, 423 S. Fourth Ave (June-Aug.); Tues.: First Baptist, 512 E. Huron; Wed.: First Presbyterian, 1432 Washtenaw; Thurs.: First United Methodist, 120 S. State; Fri.: St. Mary's Student Chapel, 331 Thompson. Weekend meals are served at 6 p.m. at Ashley Place Day Shelter, 112 S. Ashley. A staff of volunteers (volunteers are always needed) serves at least 120 guests a night. In addition, St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, 306 N. Division, offers a free breakfast every morning at 7:30 a.m. (see below). V

**Ashley Place Day Shelter** (Shelter Association of Ann Arbor), 112 S. Ashley. 668-7273. Spring and summer hours: Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Sat. & Sun. dinner only, 6-7 p.m. Winter hours: daily 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m. (winter hours begin approximately the first week of November and end the first week of May).

**Avalon Housing**, 404 W. Washington. 663-5858. Nonprofit agency that works to provide low-cost housing for people at risk of becoming homeless. Owns and manages properties around the city. Accepts referrals from social service agencies but also deals directly with individuals in need. V

**Bethel Quality of Life Resource Center**, 1511 Traver. 665-1221. A "ministry of clothing" that gives out clothing year-round to any county resident in need. Mon. & Wed. 11 a.m.-3 p.m. V

**Catholic Social Services Emergency Food Program**, Northside Community Center, 815 Taylor. 662-4462. Nonperishable groceries are distributed to individuals/families in need. Staff also will assess and make referrals for additional needs. Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-3 p.m. No fee.

**Community Food Program** (Department of Parks and Recreation). 994-2722. Distributes groceries to low-income residents of southeast Ann Arbor, Fri. 9-11 a.m., Bryant Community Center, 3 West Eden. Bring I.D. and proof of income and address. Individuals may participate only once a month.

**Community Leaning Post**, 211 N. Fourth Ave. 769-0288. Performs housing searches for low-income people and referrals to food programs.

**Conover Food Pantry** (HIV/AIDS Resource Center). (800) 578-2300. Provides supplementary food for people living with HIV/AIDS, as well as for those directly affected by the dis-



ease, such as family members, partners, or caregivers. Stocked and coordinated by volunteers, area churches, and businesses, the pantry supports those for whom obtaining and preparing food has become difficult. No income restrictions; home distribution, food preparation, and shopping assistance available. V

**Emergency Food** (Department of Parks and Recreation). 994-2722. Families or individuals facing an emergency food crisis can pick up nonperishable food Mon.-Thurs. 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Bryant Community Center, 3 West Eden. Bring picture I.D. and proof of income.

**Emergency Food Pantry**, Ann Arbor Community Center, 625 N. Main. 662-3128. Nonperishable food is always available for emergencies. Hot lunches for seniors Tues. & Thurs. at noon; call ahead to reserve a place. S, V

**Family Independence Agency** (Washtenaw County), Ann Arbor satellite office, 2140 E. Ellsworth at Stone School (mailing address: 22 Center St., Ypsilanti 48198). 677-1010. State agency, formerly the Department of Social Services, provides financial and health services to income-eligible families, including food stamps, State Disability Assistance, and Emergency Needs programs.

**Felch House Women's Shelter** (Shelter Association of Ann Arbor), 543 N. Main (Felch Street side of building). 930-0313. Provides shelter and service for adult homeless women. Daily 6 p.m.-7 a.m.

**Food Gatherers**, 1731 Dhu Varren. 761-2796. Distributes nonperishable and perishable food to agencies that feed the hungry. Special need for volunteers to help sort, prepare, and deliver the food. V

**Habitat for Humanity of Huron Valley**, NEW Center, 1100 N. Main, Suite 211. 996-9933. Nonprofit ecumenical organization that helps needy families build, renovate, and buy their own homes. V

**Huron House Men's Shelter** (Shelter Association of Ann Arbor), 420 W. Huron. 913-2416. Provides nighttime shelter. Mon.-Fri. 6 p.m.-7 a.m., Sat. & Sun. 7:30 p.m.-7 a.m. Proper I.D. required.

**Interfaith Hospitality Network of Washtenaw County**, P.O. Box 7538, AA 48107. 668-8823. Offers shelter, meals, and assistance to homeless families. Various religious congregations around the county offer assistance on a rotating basis. V

**Motor Meals of Ann Arbor**, 1000 Wall. 763-2377. Volunteers deliver nutritious lunches and dinners to homebound Ann Arbor residents and some outlying areas. Mon.-Fri. (Sat. under special circumstances). Partially funded by the U-M; sliding-scale fees. S, V

**Nutrition Program for the Elderly**. 663-6560. Sponsors a hot lunch, served Mon.-Fri. 11:30 a.m., Miller Manor (727 Miller), to participants age 60 and older. \$1.50 donation suggested. Also sponsors health clinics, special events, crafts, and social activities. S

**Ozone House**, 1705 Washtenaw. 24-hour hotline: 662-2222. Emergency on-site housing for runaway youth ages 10-17. Assistance in finding off-site emergency housing available to youth ages 17-20. Also, offers independent living skills and training programs for homeless teens and support groups (homeless youths, gay/lesbian teens, and teens grappling with issues of adolescence), and an educational outreach program for all youths in need. V

**St. Andrew's Episcopal Church Breakfast Program**, 306 N. Division. 663-0518. Children, families, and all who can use a meal are welcome at this free breakfast. Daily 7:30-8:30 a.m. year-round. Food is also available to make a bag lunch. V

**Salvation Army**, 100 Arbana at Huron. 668-8353. Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-4 p.m. A wide range of emergency services for low-income families and individuals, including temporary shelter at **Arbor Haven** for adults and families. Call for a screening appointment. Also provides food, clothing, and other forms of material aid, low-cost short-term counseling, and client advocacy.

**Washtenaw County Public Health Division** (Women, Infants, and Children). 971-1300 (Ann Arbor), or 484-6770 (Ypsilanti). WIC coupons available to buy nutritious foods for low- and moderate-income single mothers and their children. Also offers short nutrition education classes. Call for eligibility information.

**Washtenaw Intergenerational Supported Housing (WISH)**. An 18-month homelessness prevention program to develop greater housing stability and self-reliance. A resource team works with individuals to obtain housing and provides ongoing support and life-skills development. Participants must be referred through other agencies. Call Loie Gilbert, 662-7920, for names of referring groups.

**WIT House** (Women In Transition). 665-6955. Offers two-year transitional housing for women and their children. Cost is 30 percent of income. Provides in-house assessment counseling and then refers residents for outside assistance programs. Goal-oriented, positive environment. Apply anytime for the waiting list.

## GENDER & SEXUAL ISSUES

**The Office of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual & Transgender Affairs (U-M)**, 3116 U-M Michigan Union. 763-4186. Offers educational programming, weekly and monthly social events, a scholarly works series, a speakers' bureau, crisis intervention, a resource library, and information and referral services. Also offers support groups and a mentorship program for new students, faculty, and staff. V Web: [www.umich.edu/~inquiry/](http://www.umich.edu/~inquiry/) E-mail: [lgba@umich.edu](mailto:lgba@umich.edu)

**Parents, Families, and Friends of Lesbians and Gays/Ann Arbor**, P.O. Box 7471, AA 48107-7471. 741-0659. Support and education group for families and friends of gays, lesbians, bisexuals, and the transgendered. Monthly speakers. Offers support to gay males and lesbians "coming out" to their families. Meets third Sun. 2-5 p.m., First Unitarian Church, 1917 Washtenaw.

**Sexual Assault Prevention & Awareness Center (SAPAC)**, L107 U-M West Quad. Business line: 763-5865. 24-hour crisis line: 936-3333. This resource center for U-M students, faculty, and staff offers peer education programs that address issues of rape and sexual assault prevention; free, confidential counseling. V

**Soundings: A Center for Women** (now a part of LifeWork Center, a department of Child and Family Service-Huron Services for Youth), 4090 Packard. 973-7723. Workshops and individual services for employment, divorce adjustment, and personal growth for women as well as vocational and personal counseling. Also provides do-it-yourself divorce kits. V

**Washtenaw Rainbow Action Project**. 995-9867. Works to increase the acceptance and visibility of lesbian, gay, and bisexual people in Washtenaw County. Runs a hate-crime monitoring program. V

## LEGAL SERVICES, MEDIATION, & CONSUMER SERVICES

**Ann Arbor Tenants Union**, U-M Michigan Union. 763-6876. Provides counseling on tenant rights, tenant advocacy, and referrals to local attorneys specializing in landlord-tenant disputes. Also publishes *Tenants' Voice*, a quarterly newsletter, and a tenants' rights handbook (available at local bookstores, or call AATU for a copy). Services open to all. Membership is \$15/year (free to U-M students and low-income individuals).

**Better Business Bureau of Detroit and Eastern Michigan**, 30555 Southfield Rd., Southfield. (248) 644-9100. Automated lines allow you to file or check complaints against local businesses by entering their phone numbers on a Touch-Tone phone.

**Community Leaning Post**, 211 N. Fourth

Ave. 769-0288. Offers a mediation group in cooperation with the Ann Arbor Public Schools. Trained volunteers work to resolve conflicts in school settings. Call for information on volunteer training. V

**Dispute Resolution Center, NEW Center**, 1100 N. Main, Suite 217. 741-0603. Offers free mediation services to individuals and organizations in Washtenaw County. Facilitated by trained volunteer mediators who act as neutral third parties. Does not mediate disputes involving violence, drugs, or other felonies. V

**Fair Housing Center of Washtenaw County**, Box 7825, AA 48107. 994-3426. Provides investigative services, advice, advocacy, attorney referral, and community education about housing discrimination based on race, color, religion, national origin, sex, familial or marital status, sexual orientation, disability, source of income, or student status.

**Family Law Project**. 763-6591. Operates year-round, providing battered women with free legal counsel on personal protection orders. All clients must be referred through SAFE House, 995-5444.

**Human Rights Department** (city of Ann Arbor), third floor, City Center Bldg., 220 E. Huron. 994-2762, 994-4856. Investigates complaints of violations of the city's Human Rights Ordinance and the Michigan Civil Rights Act. These laws bar discrimination in housing, employment, education, or public accommodation.

**Insurance Information Hotline**. (800) 777-8005. This nonprofit organization provides information on all types of insurance and offers advice on how to shop for the best insurance deals. Also offers dispute resolution services between policyholders and insurance companies.

**Legal Services of Southeastern Michigan**, 420 N. Fourth Ave. 665-6181. Provides free legal assistance for low-income individuals in civil cases such as landlord-tenant disputes, contested custody, public benefits, and some consumer issues. Also, wills and guardianship. All services are free to seniors regardless of income. Call for an appointment, Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-5 p.m. S

**Michigan Clinical Law Program** (U-M Law School), 363 Legal Research Bldg., 801 Monroe. 763-4319. Free legal services for low-income residents of Washtenaw County. Staffed by law students who are supervised by a law professor, this service operates only during the school year (Sept.-Apr.). It handles landlord-tenant disputes, employment discrimination, simple divorces (no custody cases), and misdemeanor defense cases by appointment.

**Student Advocacy Center**, 2301 Platt. 973-7860, fax: 973-7864. Assists the families of public school children, K-12, who are eligible for regular and special education services to resolve school-related problems. No fee. E-mail: [sadv@aol.com](mailto:sadv@aol.com)

**U-M Student Legal Services**, 2304 Michigan Union. 763-9920. Supported by student fees, staff attorneys give free legal advice to currently enrolled U-M students. Legal representation is available for criminal, family, divorce, or landlord-tenant cases.

**Washtenaw County Bar Association**, County Courthouse, 101 E. Huron. 996-3229. Attorney referral service. Cost is \$20, which includes the first half hour of consultation with the attorney.

## PROTECTION FROM ABUSE, NEGLECT, & ASSAULT

**Alternatives to Domestic Aggression** (Catholic Social Services), 4925 Packard. 971-9781, ext. 430. A nondenominational treatment program designed to help men end the use of violence and other forms of aggression to control their partners. Sliding-scale fees.

**Assault Crisis Center** (Washtenaw County Community Mental Health Services), 1866 Packard, Ypsilanti. 483-7942. 24-hour crisis

line: 483-7273. Crisis intervention and short-term counseling for rape and other sexual assault victims and their families and friends. Sponsors support groups for survivors of sexual abuse and Touchstone, a long-term support group for adult survivors of sexual abuse. Call for meeting and locations. Also offers a community education program. V

**Domestic Violence Project/SAFE House**, Box 7052, AA 48107. 973-0242. 24-hour crisis line: 995-5444. DVP offers domestic violence victims emergency shelter, crisis counseling, legal advocacy, and legal and medical referrals. Drop-in and short-term support groups for women and children who are in abusive relationships. V

**Sexual Assault Prevention and Awareness Center (SAPAC)**, L107 U-M West Quad. Business line: 763-5865. 24-hour crisis line: 936-3333. Counseling for U-M students, faculty, or staff who have experienced rape and sexual assault. V

**Washtenaw County Protective Services** (Family Independence Agency). 481-9110 (hours). This office investigates allegations of abuse, neglect, or exploitation of children under age 18, and of adults vulnerable because of age, physical or developmental disabilities, mental illness.

## SENIOR SERVICES

See Food and Shelter, above, for senior food programs. See Parking and Transportation, 27, for senior transportation services. See Health Care, p. 93, for prescription delivery. See Clubs and Classes, p. 136, for senior activities and classes.

**American Association of Retired Persons (AARP)**. Call Ralph Michener, 663-5429. For those age 50 and up. Meets second Thurs. 1-3 p.m., Sept.-June, at Pittsfield Twp. Hall, 701 Ellsworth. Speakers and programs vary. National AARP membership offers health, home owners', and auto insurances, travel discounts, investment counseling, a pharmacy service, and a motoring plan (similar to AAA). Also 55-Alive, an eight-hour driving refresher course for older drivers, is offered periodically in Ann Arbor. Annual dues: \$3 local, plus \$5 national (includes magazine). S

**Ann Arbor Community Center**, 625 N. Main. 662-3128. Outreach, counseling, social activities, health information, and health screening services for seniors living in the Ann Arbor area. Hot lunches Tues. & Thurs. for seniors; call ahead to reserve a place. S, V

**Ann Arbor Senior Center**, 1320 Baldwin. 769-5911. Sponsors many recreational activities and excursions for seniors. Washtenaw Community College Emeritus program also offers classes here. *Golden Nuggets* newsletter lists the many programs offered. Send \$5 check (made out to Ann Arbor Public Schools) to above address to receive a six-issue (one year) subscription or pick up a copy at any branch of the Ann Arbor District Library. Lunch program Mon., Wed., & Fri. 11:30 a.m. Center hours: Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-4 p.m. S, V

**Catholic Social Services Older Adult Services**, Senior Health Building, 5361 McAuley Dr. 712-7161. Medicare/Medicaid assistance, tax assistance, and prescription program. Special programs include: Grandparents as Parents, Interfaith Volunteer Caregivers, and RSVP, which gets senior and retired adults involved in community services that match their interests and make use of their experience and skills. Publishes the annual *Resource Directory*. No fee. S, V

**Foster Grandparents Program** (Washtenaw County Human Services Employment Training and Community Services Group). 555 Towner, Ypsilanti. 484-6610. Senior volunteers work with special-needs children on a one-to-one basis at day care centers, schools, and other sites. S, V

**Grandparents as Parents** (Catholic Social Services), Senior Health Building, 5361



McAuley Dr. 712-2077. Offers grandparents who are raising their grandchildren the opportunity to share common experiences, to better understand their grandchildren's special needs, to locate resources, and to gain information from community professionals.

**Housing Bureau for Seniors**, 300 N. Ingalls, 3D22. 763-0970. Helps seniors locate housing adapted to their needs. Information on nursing homes is also available. A **Home Share** program matches compatible home owners and home seekers. **Elderly Eviction Prevention** program offers early intervention and advocacy to renters at risk of eviction. Also available are a property tax management and foreclosure prevention program and referrals to senior community services. Speakers available for presentations and workshops on senior housing issues. S, V

**Monday Club for Seniors**, Salvation Army Citadel, 100 Arbana at Huron. 668-8353. Informal drop-in support group for seniors age 65 and older, every Mon. 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Coffee, doughnuts, Bible study, speakers, crafts, exercise, lunch. Optional \$1 donation. S

**Neighborhood Senior Services**, Senior Health Bldg., 5361 McAuley Dr., P.O. Box 995, AA 48106. 712-7775. Independent nonprofit organization that helps seniors avoid nursing home stays. Provides chore services and minor home maintenance and repair. Also provides transportation and accompaniment to medical appointments, help with grocery shopping and errands, and friendly visiting and phone reassurance. Low-income seniors can apply for help in paying for prescription medications. Workers are available to visit seniors in their homes and help them assess needed services. Cost-sharing contributions are encouraged. Call for services or to volunteer. S, V

**Northeast Seniors Center**, Dixboro United Methodist Church, 5221 Church Rd., Dixboro. 996-0070. This nonprofit gathering place sponsors numerous exercise programs at all levels, nutrition programs, music (Guys and Dolls Line Dancers, Senior Chorus, and Get It All Together Band), health classes, health checks and blood pressure checks, art classes, a computer lab, and financial planning seminars. Organizes support groups as needed for members. Many social activities and trips. This center sponsors Family Fun Day at Domino's Farms on the first Sunday in June in celebration of Michigan Family Day. Senior Chorus: Mon. 11 a.m.; exercise classes: Mon., Wed., & Fri. 10 a.m.; Gentle Gym (exercise for people with limited mobility): Tues. & Thurs. 10 a.m. Center open Mon., Wed., & Fri. 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Transportation volunteers especially needed. S, V

**Pittsfield Township Seniors**, 701 W. Ellsworth (former municipal building). 996-3010. A very active group sponsoring trips, a bimonthly newsletter, and a full schedule of daily activities ranging from cards and coffee each day at 9 a.m. to line dancing and swimming in the afternoon.

**Senior Citizens' Guild**, 1277 Wisteria. 663-3394. Multipurpose activity center serving all seniors in Washtenaw County. Offers art classes, physical fitness classes, social activities, group travel, counseling, educational programs, and a Preventive Illness Clinic (covered by Medicare). Clinic Mon., Tues., & Fri. 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Blood pressure, stroke, heart disease, diabetes, malnutrition, and colon cancer screening available for nominal fees. S, V

**Teaching-Learning Communities (TLC)**, Mack School, 920 Miller. 994-2354. Provides opportunities for older adults to share their skills, interests, and experiences with students in 12 elementary schools in Ann Arbor. Also operates a secondary school program. Call 994-4715. S, V

**Telephone Reassurance Program** (Salvation Army), 100 Arbana. 668-8353. Provides daily contact for homebound seniors. S

**Turner Geriatric Clinic** (U-M Medical Center), Cancer Geriatrics Center, 1500 E. Medical Center Dr. Social work office: 764-

2556. Medical line: 764-6831. Provides a wide range of services for adults 60 and older, including comprehensive specialty and primary health care from a team of physicians, nurses, and social workers, all specially trained in the care of older adults; outreach programs providing medical services in selected senior housing facilities plus home visits if needed; social services for family members and caregivers; individual and family counseling; self-help and support groups such as Low Vision support group, Caring for Aging Relatives, Gays and Lesbians Older and Wiser; health promotion, learning, and creativity programs, including memory improvement courses, Learning in Retirement lectures and study groups, and writing groups; and information and referrals to community resources. Also publishes *Where to Turn*, a guide to services for people over age 60. **Living Well** program provides care management to help seniors maintain independence. S, V

**Washtenaw County Senior Nutrition Program**. 484-6615. Offers hot buffet lunches, socializing, and activities at 12 locations in Washtenaw County. Mon.-Fri. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Suggested donation is \$1.50. Call for locations.

## SUBSTANCE ABUSE SUPPORT GROUPS

*This section contains substance abuse support groups only. For information on treatment programs, see Chemical Dependency in the Health Care section, p. 93. For support groups addressing many other issues, refer to the Community Services page of the Ann Arbor News on the first Saturday of each month. Dozens are listed, with current times, meeting places, and contact phone numbers.*

**Adult Children of Alcoholics**, Alano Club-Washtenaw, 995 N. Maple. 668-9401. Support group meets Wed. 10 a.m. Call for other meeting times and locations.

**Al-Anon**. Support group for families and friends of alcoholics. Hotline (7 a.m.-11 p.m.) gives information about meetings: 995-4949.

**Alano Club-Washtenaw**, 995 N. Maple. 668-9401. Nonprofit community organization provides meeting space to 12-step support groups as well as social, recreational, and educational services for substance abusers and their families and friends. Offers Adult Children of Alcoholics support groups. Call for locations.

**Alcoholics Anonymous**, Washtenaw County Intergroup, 33B E. Cross St., Ypsilanti. Hotline (24 hours): 482-5700. Office: 482-0707. Fellowship for anyone with a desire to stop drinking. This service group provides information about the 144 regular local AA meetings. Meeting directory includes the 12 suggested steps and the 12 traditions of AA.

**CLEAR Day/CLEAR House**, 3879 Packard Rd. 973-1900. CLEAR (Clean Living Experience Achieves Recovery) is an outpatient chemical dependency program that utilizes a holistic treatment approach for individuals 18 and older. A four-phase outpatient treatment program allows individuals to remain functioning members of society while offering an environment that promotes a drug-free lifestyle.

**Community Action on Substance Abuse**, P.O. Box 2814, AA 48106. 973-7892, 995-3782. Publishes a comprehensive substance abuse resource directory for the Ann Arbor-Ypsilanti area, including organizations that deal with prevention, education, treatment, recovery issues, and more. Free literature and video loans on substance abuse issues are also available. Focus groups on substance abuse issues forming in the fall. Call 995-3782 for information. V

**DrinkWise** (U-M Medical Center), 527 E. Liberty, Suite 209. 747-9473, (800) 222-5145. Mon.-Fri. 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., also by appointment. Early intervention program for "at-

risk" drinkers and problem drinkers who are not alcoholics. Designed to help individuals quit or reduce alcohol consumption; the focus is on education rather than treatment. Program can be done over the phone.

**McAuley Outpatient Chemical Dependency Recovery Center**. 712-4300. Offers outpatient chemical dependency services for adults and adolescents. Call for information.

**Narcotics Anonymous**. 24-hour hotline: (248) 543-7200. Self-help group for people with substance abuse problems. Call for meeting times and locations.

**Parent Support Group** (St. Joseph Mercy Health System). Call John Furey, 712-4328. Support group for parents of chemically dependent adolescents. Meets every Tues. 7:30-9:15 p.m., 2006 Hogback, lower level. Open to the public. Free.

**Peace Neighborhood Center**, 1111 N. Maple. 662-3564. Provides a community referral service for substance abuse treatment and education. Individual and group counseling. Also sponsors on-site substance abuse education and prevention programs. E-mail: PNCfamily@aol.com

**Smoke Stoppers** (St. Joseph Mercy Hospital). 712-4141. Professionals assist nicotine-patch users and others who wish to quit smoking through education and support. Individual and group sessions available. Fee.

**Smokebusters 2000**. A county coalition devoted to the reduction of tobacco use. Call 484-7200 (ask for Health Connection) for information and referrals about smoking-cessation services.

**Substance Abuse Treatment and Prevention Program** (Ann Arbor Community Center), 625 N. Main. 662-3128. Individual, family, and group counseling, outpatient treatment, and prevention services for adolescent and adult substance abuse problems. Sliding-scale fees.

**Washtenaw County Tobacco Reduction Coalition**, mailing address: 555 Towner, Ypsilanti 48197. Call 484-7200 for information and referrals about smoking-cessation services. Meets third Tues. 3:30-5 p.m. Call for location.

## VOLUNTEERING

Many local community service organizations and civic institutions need volunteer help—from the Ann Arbor Summer Festival to the U-M's Matthaei Botanical Gardens. Whether you're a high school student or a retiree, you can find something useful and interesting to do as a volunteer.

Unfortunately, following budget cuts at the United Way early in 1997, there is no longer a central clearinghouse for community service groups in need of volunteers. In the listings above, organizations seeking volunteers are marked with the symbol V. In addition, several groups help U-M students and local young people find a way to help:

**Project Serve**. 936-2437. A U-M organization involved in bringing students and causes together. More than a database, Project Serve seeks to foster a movement that thoughtfully addresses the challenges faced by today's society. Community service and social action are the products; leadership and empowerment are the tools.

**Volunteers in Action (VIA)**, U-M Hillel, 1429 Hill. 769-0500. VIA Hillel links U-M students with the local community through volunteer activities, educational dialogues, and social events. Meetings and activities focus on aiding the homeless, children, the elderly, and the environment.

**The Youth Volunteer Corps**, Ann Arbor YMCA, 350 S. Fifth Ave. 663-0536. An organization in which area young people assist nonprofit organizations, working in ten-member teams. During the school year, projects last one to two days, and there are one- to four-week projects during the summer.

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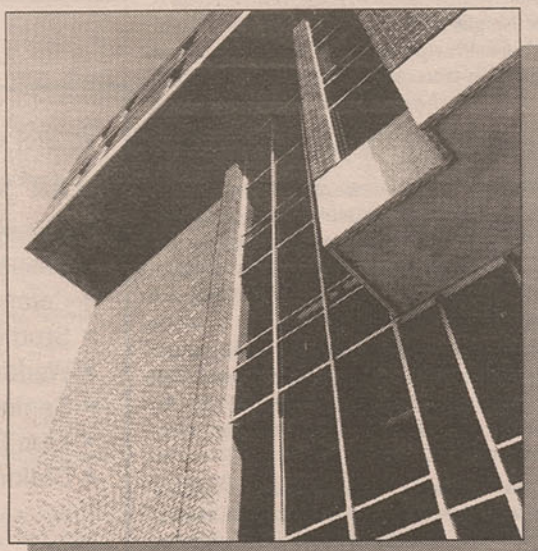
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### 1997-1998 U-M Undergraduate Academic Calendar

#### Fall 1997

|              |               |
|--------------|---------------|
| Aug. 28 & 29 | Registration  |
| Sept. 3      | Classes begin |
| Dec. 19      | Exams end     |

#### Winter 1998

|            |               |
|------------|---------------|
| Jan. 5 & 6 | Registration  |
| Jan. 7     | Classes begin |
| Apr. 30    | Exams end     |
| May 1-3    | Commencement  |

#### Spring 1998

|         |               |
|---------|---------------|
| May 4   | Registration  |
| May 5   | Classes begin |
| June 23 | Exams end     |

#### Summer 1998

|              |               |
|--------------|---------------|
| June 25 & 26 | Registration  |
| June 29      | Classes begin |
| Aug. 18      | Exams end     |

### Phone numbers/Internet access

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| University Operator:       | 764-1817            |
| Campus Information Center: | 763-INFO            |
| E-mail:                    | info@umich.edu      |
| Web:                       | www.umich.edu/~info |
| Alumni Association:        | 764-0384            |
| Events Hotline:            | 76-EVENT            |
| U-M Medical Center:        | 936-4000            |

**Tours** are conducted throughout the year by the Huetwell Visitors Center. Call 647-5692 for current hours. Small group information sessions are hosted by the Office of Undergraduate Admissions, twice each weekday. For information and reservations, call 647-5692. Brochures for self-guided tours are available at the Huetwell Visitors Center in the Student Activities Building, 515 E. Jefferson.

### ENROLLMENT

The U-M has 19 schools and colleges, 12 of which offer undergraduate degree programs. For information or application materials, call the **Office of Undergraduate Admissions**, 1220 Student Activities Building, 764-7433. The application fee is \$40. Prospective first-year and transfer students face extremely competitive admission standards. Last year, there were over 19,000 freshman applicants for only 5,000 openings. To enroll for a **graduate degree in the liberal arts**, contact the Horace H. Rackham Graduate School, 915 E. Washington, 764-4415. **Professional schools** such as business, engineering, law, and medicine handle their own admissions and should be contacted directly. School phone numbers are available through the university operator: 764-1817. Call the Office of Undergraduate Admissions,

764-7433, for **undergraduate nondegree course information and applications**. For the fall or winter terms, prospective visiting students to the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts should request a "nondegree" application from the Office of Undergraduate Admissions. For the spring or summer terms, all prospective visiting students should request a "guest" application from the Academic Outreach Program, 764-5300.

Contact the school or college you're interested in to receive a **catalog of course offerings**. Time schedules for the entire university are available at G411 Mason Hall, 764-6810. For a catalog of course offerings for liberal arts courses, call the LS&A Academic Information and Publications Office in Mason Hall, 764-6810.

### FEES

At this writing, the regents have not officially adopted **tuition and fees** for the 1997-1998 academic year. The administration has recommended that tuition for first- and second-year undergraduates (lower division) be set at \$5,820 for Michigan residents and \$18,450 for nonresidents. Recommended tuition for third- and fourth-year (upper division) in-state students is \$6,570; out-of-state students will pay \$19,750. Questions regarding residency should be addressed to the **Residency Status Office**, 764-1400.

Recommended 1997-1998 fees for **graduate students** in the Rackham School are \$591 for the first credit hour (full term), \$486 for each additional credit hour (for Michigan residents), and \$1,125 for the first hour, \$1,020 for each additional hour (nonresidents). Other graduate programs have different fees.

**Nondegree students** should contact the

office of their individual program directly. Fees for nondegree students are the same as for undergraduate degree students in the upper-division classes.

Nondegree classes are available at half cost to people age 65 and older (call 764-6280). Those who want to visit a single class are welcome at large lectures without prior permission. However, it is suggested that you arrive early to introduce yourself to the instructor and remain until the class is dismissed. Visits to smaller classes require the instructor's permission.

### EMPLOYMENT

Including the Medical Center, the U-M Ann Arbor campus employs 28,821 people. Job openings are posted on six **campus job boards** and are updated every Monday afternoon. Boards are located at the LS&A Building, 500 S. State; 300 N. Ingalls Bldg., eighth floor; U-M Main Hospital, near the cafeteria; North Campus Commons, 2101 Bonisteel; Harlan Hatcher Graduate Library, 920 North University, fourth floor; and Wolverine Tower, 3003 S. State, ground floor. Prospective employees may submit a general application at Wolverine Tower or at North Ingalls and then may bid for particular jobs. Job openings are also listed in the *University Record* (see Media, p. 187), and some are advertised in local newspapers. Those with **Internet** access can check current job openings on the U-M Web site: [www.med.umich.edu/~mchrd/jobs](http://www.med.umich.edu/~mchrd/jobs). Two **joblines** provide information on openings by phone: 764-7292 (professional and administrative) and 647-0976 (office and clerical). For further information, please contact Employment Services, 764-6580. Career Planning and Placement, Web: [www.umich.edu/~cpp](http://www.umich.edu/~cpp)

## CLEARY COLLEGE

Registration is rolling and applications are accepted at any time.

### 1997-1998 Cleary College Academic Calendar

#### Fall 1997

|          |                     |
|----------|---------------------|
| Sept. 22 | Classes begin       |
| Sept. 26 | Enrollment deadline |
| Dec. 12  | Exams end           |

#### Winter 1998

|         |                     |
|---------|---------------------|
| Jan. 12 | Classes begin       |
| Jan. 16 | Enrollment deadline |
| Mar. 28 | Exams end           |

#### Spring 1998

|         |                     |
|---------|---------------------|
| Apr. 6  | Classes begin       |
| Apr. 10 | Enrollment deadline |
| June 19 | Exams end           |

#### Summer 1998

|         |                     |
|---------|---------------------|
| June 29 | Classes begin       |
| July 3  | Enrollment deadline |
| Aug. 27 | Exams end           |

Cleary College (2170 Washtenaw, Ypsilanti, 483-4400) offers associate's and bachelor's degrees in marketing, quality management, public and corporate accounting, computer information systems, and finance and human resource management. Prospective students should contact the **Admissions Office**. Application fee is \$25. **Tuition** for the fall term is \$160 per credit hour (standard course tuition only). Qualified students can complete their B.B.A. in one year through the **accelerated calendar format**. Tuition for the accelerated

## ringing the bells

### Margo Halsted

*The woman atop the carillon*



J. ADRIAN WYLLIE

People walking across the campuses of the University of Michigan are regularly treated to a beautiful concert wafting through the air. The chiming bells aren't taped or programmed. The person at the keyboard is Margo Halsted, university carillonist since 1987.

"This is probably the best carillon job

in the world," Halsted says. Part of the reason is her students' enthusiasm; she teaches eight to twelve students per term in campanology, the study of bells.

Another reason is that Halsted gets to play the U-M's two world-class carillons. On Central Campus, Burton Tower houses the Charles Baird Carillon. It's the third heaviest in the world, containing fifty-five bells ranging in size from twenty-one pounds to twelve tons. The brand-new Lurie Carillon on North Campus has smaller bells, but more of them—sixty in all, the largest weighing six tons.

The carillon "brings me personal pleasure just to play," Halsted says. "It's very physical . . . you finish playing and you're just exhilarated." The carillon's keyboard, which is a bit wider than an organ's, consists of two rows of large wooden batons, or keys, each corresponding to a particular bell, plus foot pedals below; arranged much like an organ's. Playing it is a vigorous workout—Halsted swiftly pounds the keys with closed fists or outstretched hands and deftly maneuvers her feet over the pedals. The harder she hits the batons, the louder the bells ring.

Halsted was an organ-playing music major during her undergraduate years at Stanford University. When she was in grad school there, Stanford hired a musician to replace its automatic carillon play-

er. Halsted "finagled an invitation to watch him play, and fell in love with it." She learned to play, then moved on to a job teaching carillon and organ at the University of California-Riverside, where she remained for ten years. During that time she earned a diploma from the Netherlands Carillon School through trips to Europe, visits from her professor, and numerous correspondence tapes.

Now she's a font of carillon knowledge. During the sixteenth century in northern France, Holland, and Belgium, she says, bell towers were the center of city life, signaling everything from market time to fires. Each bell had its own unique meaning—for instance, if someone died, people could determine from the sound of the bells "whether it was a man or a woman, how old they were, and whether they were a Catholic or a Protestant," she says. "Catholics had bigger bells!"

—Sarah Ray

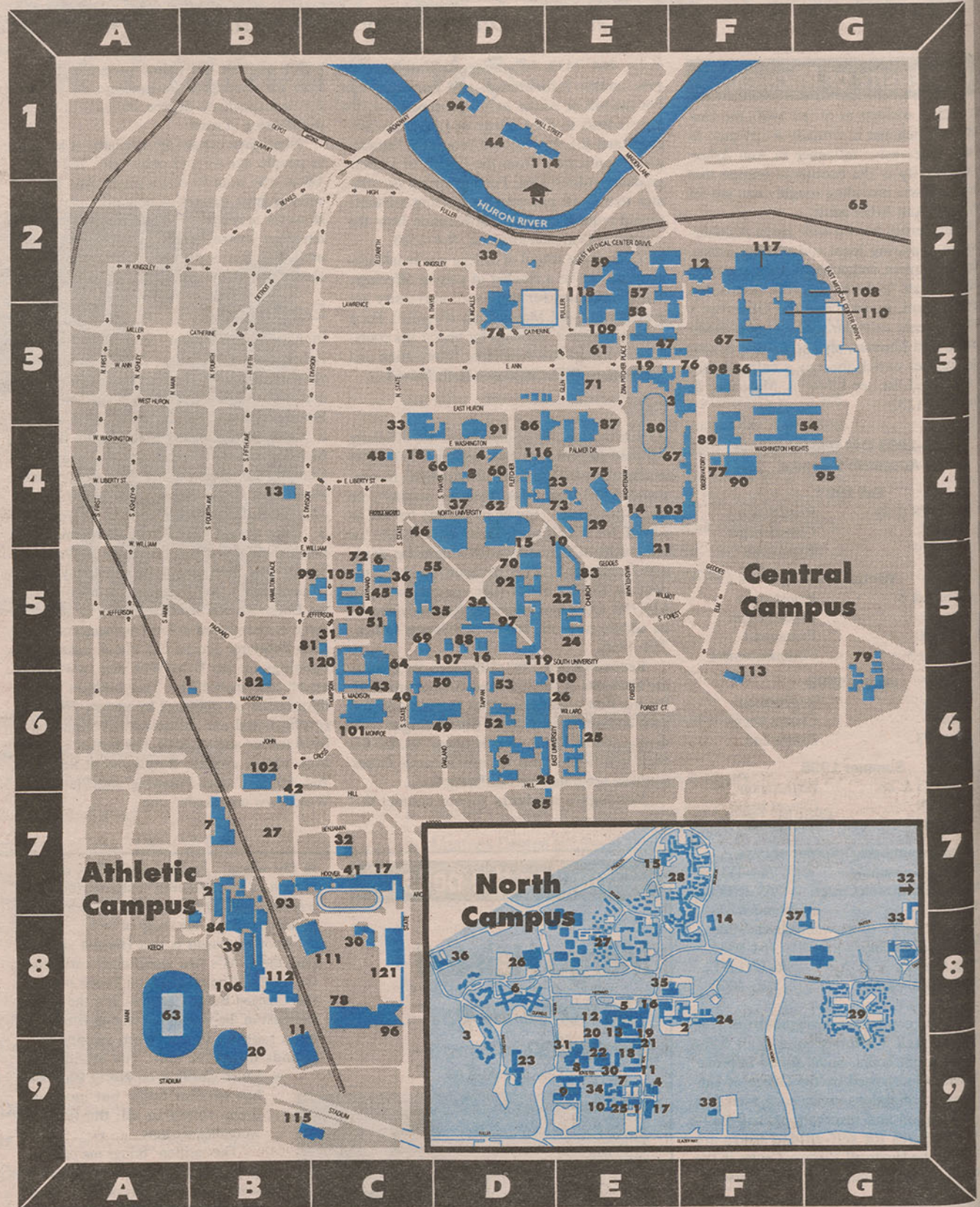
During the school year, the public can observe the playing of the carillons up close. Standing among the bells on the observation deck high up in either tower, you can see Halsted, working furiously at the keyboard. The Baird Carillon is played weekdays from noon to 12:30 p.m. and Saturdays from 10:15 to 10:45 a.m. The Lurie Carillon is played weekdays from 5:30 to 6 p.m., with Halsted and four other carillonists alternating days. During the summer, guest artists from all over the world perform recitals on seven Monday evenings at 7 p.m. (Call 764-2539 for more information.)



# UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

## CENTRAL & ATHLETIC CAMPUSES

1. 109 E. Madison, B6
2. Administrative Services Building, B7
3. Alice Lloyd Hall, F3
4. Alumni Center, D4
5. Angell Hall, C5
6. Betsey Barbour House, C5
7. Buhr Building, B7
8. Burton Memorial Tower, D4
9. School of Business Administration (includes Kresge Business Library & Paton Accounting Center), D6
10. C. C. Little Science Building, E5
11. Campus Safety Services, B9
12. Cancer Center/Geriatrics Center, F2
13. Center for Education for Women, B4
14. Central Campus Recreation Building (CCRB) & Margaret Bell Pool, E4
15. Chemistry Building & Dow Laboratory, D4
16. Clements Library, D5
17. Cliff Keen Arena, C7
18. Corner House, D4
19. Couzens Hall, E3
20. Crisler Arena, B9
21. Dance Building, E4
22. Dennison Physics & Astronomy Building, E5
23. School of Dentistry, D4
24. East Hall, E5
25. East Quadrangle (Residential College), E6
26. School of Education, D6
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32. Fletcher Hall, C7
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35. Haven Hall, C5
36. Helen Newberry Residence, C5
37. Hill Auditorium, D4
38. Hospital Education Center, D2
39. Human Resources Development, B8
40. Hutchins Hall, C6
41. IM Building, C7
42. IM Locker Room, B7
43. International Center, C6
44. Kellogg Eye Center, D1
45. Kelsey Museum of Archaeology, C5
46. Kraus Natural Science Building, D4
47. Kresge Research Complex, E3
48. Lane Hall, C4
49. Law Library, D6
50. Law Quadrangle, D6
51. Literature, Science, & the Arts Building (LS&A), C5
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53. Martha Cook Residence, D6
54. Mary Markley Hall, G4
55. Mason Hall, D5
56. Medical Professional Building, F3
57. Medical Science I, E2
58. Medical Science II, E3
59. Medical Science Research Buildings, E2
60. Lydia Mendelssohn Theater, D4
61. Mental Health Research Institute, E3
62. Michigan League, D4
63. Michigan Stadium, A8
64. Michigan Union, C5
65. Mitchell Field, G2
66. Modern Languages Building, D4
67. Mosher Jordan Residence, F4
68. Mott/Women's/Holden/CAPH, F3
69. Museum of Art, C5
70. School of Natural Resources (Dana Building), D5
71. Neuroscience Building, E3
72. News & Information Services, C5
73. North Hall, E4
74. North Ingalls Building (School of Nursing), D3
75. North University Building/University Herbarium, E4
76. Observatory, F3
77. Observatory Lodge, F4
78. Oosterbaan Fieldhouse, C8
79. Oxford Housing, G5
80. Palmer Field, E4
81. Parking Services, C5
82. Perry Building, B6
83. Pharmacy Building, E5
84. Plant Department, B8
85. Madelon Pound House, D7
86. Power Center for the Performing Arts, D3
87. Power Plant, E3
88. President's House, D5
89. School of Public Health I, F4
90. School of Public Health II, F4
91. Rackham Building, D3
92. Randall Laboratory, D5
93. Revelli Band Hall, B7
94. Riverview Building, D1
95. Ronald McDonald House, G4
96. Schembechler Hall & Margaret Dow Towsley Museum, C8
97. Shapiro Undergraduate Library, D5
98. Simpson Institute, F3
99. Institute for Social Research, C5



100. School of Social Work, D6
101. South Quadrangle, C6
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103. Stockwell Hall, F4
104. Student Activities Building (SAB)/Huetwell Visitors Center, C5
105. Student Publications Building, C5
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107. Tappan Hall, D5
108. Taubman Health Care Center, G3
109. Taubman Medical Library, E3
110. Towsley Center, F3
111. Track & Tennis Building, C8
112. Transportation Services, B8
113. Trotter House, F6
114. Turner Clinic, D1
115. University Golf Course, C9
116. University Health Services, D4
117. University Hospital, F2
118. Victor Vaughan Building, E2
119. West Hall, D5
120. West Quadrangle, C5

121. Yost Ice Arena, C8

## NORTH CAMPUS

1. Advanced Tech Lab, E9
2. Aerospace Engineering Building, E8
3. Vera Baits Houses, D9
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6. Bursley Hall, D8
7. Center for Display Technology Center, E9
8. Chrysler Center, E9
9. College of Art & Architecture, E9
10. Computing Center Annex, E9
11. Cooley Lab, E9
12. Herbert H. Dow Building, E8
13. Electrical Engineering & Computer Science, E8
14. Family Housing Community Center, F8
15. Fire Service Instruction & Research Center, E7
16. Francois-Xavier Bagnoud Building, E8
17. Gerald R. Ford Library, E9
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20. Lurie Bell Tower, E9
21. Lurie Engineering Center Building, E9
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28. Northwood IV Apartments, E7
29. Northwood V Apartments, G8
30. Phoenix Memorial Laboratory, E9
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32. Printing Services, G7
33. Property Disposition, G7
34. Institute for Science & Technology, E9
35. Space Research Building, E8
36. Stearns Building, D8
37. Transportation Research Institute, F8
38. University Hospital Childcare Center, F9



program is \$11,900 and includes the four required terms as well as all books.

Employment information is available in the Student Services Office, 483-4400, ext. 3305.

## CONCORDIA COLLEGE

Registration is rolling and applications are accepted at any time.

### 1997-1998 Concordia College Academic Calendar

#### Fall 1997

Aug. 31-Sept. 2 Registration  
Sept. 3 Classes begin  
Dec. 19 Exams end

#### Winter 1998

Nov. 17-19 Registration  
Jan. 12 Classes begin  
May 8 Exams end

A member of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod's national Concordia University System, Concordia College (4090 Geddes, 995-7300) offers associate's and bachelor's degrees in the liberal arts, business, the Lutheran ministries, and teacher education. Accelerated degree-completion programs in human resource administration, health care administration, and criminal justice administration are available for matriculating adults who are returning to school.

Prospective full-time students should contact the Office of Admission, 995-7322, to request a free application package and course catalog. The application fee is \$25. Tuition and fees for the 1997-1998 academic year total \$11,850. Prospective degree-completion students should contact the Center for Adult Education at 995-7583. Nondegree students may register through the Registrar's Office, 995-7324, or through the Center for Adult Education, 995-7590.

Employment information can be obtained through the main switchboard, 995-7300; ask to speak to the vice-president for administration.

## EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

Registration for spring, summer, and fall terms opens early March 1998.

### 1997-1998 EMU Undergraduate Academic Calendar

#### Fall 1997

Sept. 3 Classes begin  
Dec. 20 Exams end

#### Winter 1998

Jan. 7 Classes begin  
Apr. 28 Exams end

#### Spring 1998

May 6 Classes begin  
June 26 Exams end

#### Summer 1998

June 29 Classes begin  
Aug. 19 Exams end

Eastern Michigan University lies between Washtenaw Avenue and Huron River Drive in Ypsilanti, 487-1849. EMU's five colleges (arts and sciences, business, education, health and human services, and technology) offer undergraduate degrees in 115 fields of study. EMU also offers 70 master's degrees, several specialist in arts degrees, and one doctoral degree, in educational leadership. Eastern's Three Year Baccalaureate Program allows highly directed students to accelerate their undergraduate work when meeting specific criteria. EMU's Continuing Education offers courses in 83 locations in Michigan and internationally. Last fall, EMU enrolled 23,230 students—17,982 undergraduate and 5,248 grad students.

Prospective students should contact either

# EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

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| <b>CAMPUS FACILITIES</b>        |        |                                   |     |                                        |
| Accounting                      | 59     | McKenny Union                     | 20  | Team Building (West Campus)            |
| Administration Building         | 21     | Oestrike Stadium (West Campus)    | 2   | Town Hall Schoolhouse                  |
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| Alumni Relations                | 21     | Olds Student Recreation Center    | 29  | University Publications                |
| Boone Hall                      | 37     | Outdoor Recreation Area Lodge     | 30  | Warehouse                              |
| Bowen Field House               | 27     | Parking Department                | 14  | Warner Gymnasium                       |
| Briggs Hall                     | 19     | Parking Structure                 | 14  | Welch Hall                             |
| Business and Finance Building   | 59     | Payroll                           | 59  | WEMU-89.1 FM                           |
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| Graduate School                 | 22     | Sherzer Hall                      | 23  | Munson Apartments                      |
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| Hoyt Conference Center          | 11     | Snow Health Center                | 32  | Pittman Residence Hall                 |
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the Undergraduate Office of Admissions, 487-3060, or the Graduate Office of Admissions, 487-3400, for a course catalog and an application. The application fee is \$25 for both undergrad and grad students. Campus tours are offered Mon.-Fri. 10 a.m. & 2 p.m. Tours begin at Pierce Hall; parking is available in the McKenny Union parking lot. First- and second-year undergraduate tuition is \$93.75 per credit hour for residents of Michigan and Ohio,

and \$245 per credit hour for nonresidents. Graduate tuition is \$141 per credit hour for Michigan residents and \$327 for nonresidents.

First-year students may apply a year in advance. Transfer students should call the Office of Admissions, 487-0200, for application procedures. Nondegree guest students should also contact the Office of Admissions; they are admitted (if space is available) without going through the regular admissions process. To au-

dit a class, a student must enroll in the class using a special audit enrollment card signed by the head of the appropriate department. Tuition is the same as for graded course work.

EMU currently employs 1,025 full-time-equivalent faculty members and 1,129 staff members. For employment information, call 487-0016. Lists of job openings are also maintained at 16 locations around the EMU campus. Call for job board locations.



# Earn a New Degree of Confidence

Concordia College has helped hundreds of working men and women realize their goal to complete their college degree. A leader in adult education, Concordia offers a unique accelerated degree-completion opportunity for adults with a minimum of sixty transferable credit hours. In a Christian college setting, you can finish your bachelor degree in a little over one year. To help you meet work and family obligations classes meet only one night per week. Accelerated majors are available in Criminal Justice Administration, Health Care Administration and Human Resources Administration. If you have two years of college credit, and you'd like to complete your B.A. and earn a new degree of confidence—for a promotion, career change, graduate school or personal development—call today at 800-327-4818 or 313-995-7590.



## Concordia College Ann Arbor

The Center for Adult Education  
800 - 327 - 4818

Concordia College is accredited by the North Central Association and is a member of the national Concordia University System of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod. Concordia admits students of any race, religion, and national or ethnic origin.

## College Admissions Counseling *private consultation*

**College Search & Selection Assistance:**  
Based on the student's preferences, achievement record, A.C.T./S.A.T. scores, talents, extra-curricular activities, volunteer work and areas of academic interest. Minimum of 10 suitable Colleges and Universities. Personal interview and consultation with the student in the home.

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FREE 30 minute phone consultation!

*The best college or university is the one the student will actually finish with a degree.*

# COLLEGES & UNIVERSITIES

## WASHTENAW COMMUNITY COLLEGE

### 1997-1998 WCC Academic Calendar

| Fall 1997          |                                |
|--------------------|--------------------------------|
| Aug. 13            | Registration begins            |
| Sept. 2            | Classes begin                  |
| Dec. 20            | Classes end                    |
| Winter 1998        |                                |
| Nov.               | Registration begins (date tba) |
| Jan. 7             | Classes begin                  |
| Apr. 27            | Classes end                    |
| Spring/Summer 1998 |                                |
| Apr.               | Registration begins (date tba) |
| May 4              | Classes begin                  |
| Aug. 17            | Classes end                    |

Washtenaw Community College (4800 Huron River Dr., 973-3300) offers classes and associate's degrees in business, health and public services, humanities and social sciences, math and natural sciences, and technology. Some WCC students seek practical job skills; others earn credits that will eventually be transferred to a four-year college or university. Many people attend WCC to develop basic skills in reading, writing, math, or computer. Businesses and organizations also turn to WCC for employee enrichment classes and seminars. Contact Business and Community Services at 677-5016.

In addition to its main campus, set among woods and a former apple orchard across from St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, WCC has regional centers in Ypsilanti, Saline, Chelsea, and Brighton.

Prospective students should contact the Admissions Office, 973-3543, for a course catalog, a time schedule, and an application. The application fee is \$15. Residents of Washtenaw County receive preferential admission to high-demand programs. Tuition is \$52 per credit hour for county residents and \$75-\$80 per credit hour for nonresidents. There is a \$5 per credit hour instructional technology fee and a \$23 nonrefundable registration fee per semester for all students. To audit a class, students must register and pay the regular tuition but no grade or course credit is given. County residents over age 65 can take classes free through the Emeritus Program, 973-3543.

For employment information, contact the business office, 973-3497.

## U-M ATHLETIC SCHEDULES

1997-1998 schedules for football and men's basketball. All times are Eastern time. \* indicates televised. The U-M hockey schedule was not available at press time.

### Football

|          |                        |             |
|----------|------------------------|-------------|
| Sept. 13 | COLORADO               | noon*       |
| Sept. 20 | BAYLOR                 | 12:30 p.m.* |
| Sept. 27 | NOTRE DAME             | TBA*        |
| Oct. 4   | at Indiana             | TBA*        |
| Oct. 11  | NORTHWESTERN           | TBA*        |
| Oct. 18  | IOWA                   | TBA*        |
| Oct. 25  | at Michigan State      | 12:30 p.m.* |
| Nov. 1   | MINNESOTA (Homecoming) | TBA*        |
| Nov. 8   | at Penn State          | TBA*        |
| Nov. 15  | at Wisconsin           | TBA*        |
| Nov. 22  | OHIO STATE             | noon*       |

### Men's Basketball

|                   |                          |            |
|-------------------|--------------------------|------------|
| Nov. 3            | ATHLETES IN ACTION       | 7:30 p.m.  |
| Nov. 10           | AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL TEAM | 7:30 p.m.  |
| Nov. 15           | WESTERN MICHIGAN         | 7:30 p.m.  |
| Nov. 19           | CLEVELAND STATE          | 7:30 p.m.* |
| Nov. 24           | at Towson State          | 7 p.m.     |
| Nov. 30           | at Detroit Mercy         | TBA*       |
| Dec. 3            | FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL    | 7:30 p.m.  |
| Dec. 6            | UNLV                     | 1 p.m.*    |
| Dec. 8            | at Bradley               | 8:30 p.m.  |
| Dec. 10           | EASTERN MICHIGAN         | 8 p.m.*    |
| Dec. 13           | DUKE                     | 4 p.m.*    |
| Dec. 20           | TENNESSEE-CHATTANOOGA    | 1 p.m.*    |
| Dec. 24-26        | at Puerto Rico Classic   | TBA        |
| Dec. 31           | at Wisconsin             | 8 p.m.*    |
| Jan. 3            | PENN STATE               | 8 p.m.*    |
| Jan. 6            | at Indiana               | 7:30 p.m.* |
| Jan. 10           | MICHIGAN STATE           | 2:30 p.m.* |
| Jan. 17           | at Ohio State            | 2:30 p.m.* |
| Jan. 20           | MINNESOTA                | 7:30 p.m.* |
| Jan. 25           | at Illinois              | 2 p.m.*    |
| Jan. 29           | PURDUE                   | 8 p.m.*    |
| Feb. 1            | at Iowa                  | 1 p.m.*    |
| Feb. 5            | NORTHWESTERN             | 8 p.m.*    |
| Feb. 7            | at Minnesota             | 2 p.m.*    |
| Feb. 11           | OHIO STATE               | 8 p.m.*    |
| Feb. 17           | at Michigan State        | 7:30 p.m.* |
| Feb. 22           | INDIANA                  | 1 p.m.*    |
| Feb. 25           | at Penn State            | 8 p.m.*    |
| Feb. 28 or Mar. 1 | WISCONSIN                | TBA*       |
| Mar. 5-8          | at Big Ten Tournament    | TBA        |



# LIBRARIES, MUSEUMS, & GALLERIES



*The Clements Library houses a treasure trove of documents from American history.*

*Between the city and the U-M, Ann Arbor has an astonishing wealth of museums and libraries. In addition to hosting one of the nation's top art fairs, it also has an interestingly varied collection of galleries.*

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## LIBRARIES

### PUBLIC AND SPECIAL LIBRARIES

**Ann Arbor District Library**, 343 S. Fifth Ave. 327-4200. Named the 1997 Library of the Year by the magazine *Library Journal*, this large, busy library circulates books, periodicals, audio records and tapes, CDs, CD-ROMs, art prints, books on tape, and videocassettes. It also has a collection of large-print books for vision-impaired readers and a collection geared toward new readers of English. The library boasts a superb reference staff; youth programs; the popular "Booked for Lunch" lecture series, which brings in local authors and critics to speak; "Downtown Sounds," a free monthly series of music concerts; Internet classes for the public; and much more. Computer services have been recently expanded. Access to the library's on-line catalog is available to patrons with PCs through the library homepage (see address, below). Free **World Wide Web** access is available in the main library and its branches, and the main library has computers available for word processing and other applications. "Inform" can be accessed on-line to locate information for local clubs and organizations. A fast and easy self-serve check-out station is available. Main

library hours: Mon. 10 a.m.-9 p.m., Tues.-Fri. 9 a.m.-9 p.m., Sat. 9 a.m.-6 p.m., Sun. 1-5 p.m. (school year only). Web: [www.annarbor.lib.mi.us](http://www.annarbor.lib.mi.us)

In addition to the main library, there are three **branch libraries**: **Nellie Loving**, 3042 Creek, 994-2353; **Northeast**, 2713 Plymouth (in Plymouth Mall), 996-3180; and **West**, 2503 Jackson (in Westgate Shopping Center), 994-1674. Their collections consist of leisure reading, reference, and audiovisual materials for adults and children. They also have full access to a wide array of electronic informational resources and the Internet. Circulating material from the main library can be sent to any of the branches (and vice versa) by request. Branch library hours: Mon.-Thurs. 10 a.m.-9 p.m., Fri. & Sat. 10 a.m.-6 p.m., Sun. 1-5 p.m. (school year only).

A **Bookmobile** (327-4291) provides outreach services to groups and communities away from the library and its branches. The Friends of the Ann Arbor District Library provide book delivery to the homebound (327-4291). **The Friends of the Library Book Shop** at the main library features hundreds of used books and is open weekends Sept.-Apr. (call 327-4560 for hours).

**Ecology Center Library and Information Center**, 117 N. Division. 761-3186. Comprehensive reference library of environmental books, magazines, files, and videocassettes geared toward children and adults. Topics include wildlife extinction, recycling, pollution, solid waste, pesticides, rain forests, and energy conservation. Video rental is free with a \$10 deposit. Mon.-Fri. 1-5 p.m.; also by appointment.

**Washtenaw County Library**, 4135 Washtenaw (entrance on Hogback Rd.). 971-9009. This library includes the **Library for the**

**Blind and Physically Handicapped** (971-6059), as well as the **Learning Resource Center** (971-9009). Free library service for persons in Washtenaw, Jackson, and Livingston counties who are unable to read standard print materials due to visual or physical limitations. Books and magazines on cassettes and records, and in Braille and large print, are available by postage-free mail. Staff can assist with selections and answer requests. Kurzweil and Vantage reading machines are available for on-site use. Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m. E-mail: [wolfem@co.washtenaw.mi.us](mailto:wolfem@co.washtenaw.mi.us)

### MAIN U-M LIBRARIES

*The U-M library system is one of the largest research collections in the country and probably one of the most accessible (see U-M map, p. 120, for locations). Although use of the library system is free to everyone, borrowing privileges, when available at all, come at a high price for outsiders.*

**Harlan Hatcher Graduate Library**, on the Diag behind Angell Hall. 764-0400. This is the largest facility in the system, with a collection of approximately 2.7 million titles written in several hundred languages. It is the primary research collection for the humanities and social sciences, but collections support scholarship campus-wide. The building is also home to several world-renowned smaller libraries including the Map Library, Asia Library, Documents Center, Papyrology Collection, and Special Collections Library. MIRLYN, the library system's on-line catalog, includes over 17 million citations. Access to MIRLYN is available in all campus libraries and via the Internet at [www.lib.umich.edu](http://www.lib.umich.edu). For nonuniversity clients, MITS (Michigan Information Transfer Source, 763-5060) provides research and document

delivery on a fee-for-service basis. The Graduate Library's stacks are open to the public for browsing. People who are not affiliated with the U-M who wish to check out books must purchase a user's pass for \$250/year; less expensive group rates are available. The pass is also good at the U-M's many departmental libraries. Hours Sept.-Apr.: Mon.-Thurs. 8 a.m.-midnight, Fri. 8 a.m.-10 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.-6 p.m., Sun. 1 p.m.-midnight. Hours May-Aug.: Mon.-Fri. 8 a.m.-10 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.-6 p.m., Sun. 2-10 p.m.

The **Map Library** (764-0407), on the eighth floor of the Graduate Library, has an outstanding collection of contemporary and historical maps from all over the world. Mon.-Fri. 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

The **Papyrology Collection** (764-9369), located on the eighth floor of the Graduate Library, is the finest collection on the American continent of original papyri. The collection contains more than 10,000 papyri dating from the third century B.C. to the eighth century A.D., including 30 leaves of the first known copy of the Epistles of St. Paul. This collection attracts visitors and researchers from all over the world. Mon.-Fri. 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.-noon (guided tours available Fri. afternoons).

The **Special Collections Library** (764-9377), on the seventh floor of the Graduate Library, has rotating exhibits that usually feature works from the library's own collection of rare books and manuscripts. Highlights include a history of transportation collection, editions of Shakespeare's works, Islamic manuscripts, first editions of Darwin, Newton, and Galileo, and the Labadie Collection of social protest literature. Mon.-Fri. 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.-noon.

The **Harold T. and Vivian B. Shapiro Library Building** at 919 South University was recently renovated and now houses the Shapiro Undergraduate Library on the lower level and first and second floors, and the Shapiro Science Library on the third and fourth floors.

**Shapiro Undergraduate Library**, 764-7490. This library offers more than 190,000 books and periodicals, access to a multitude of electronic information resources, and a small collection of leisure reading materials. During the fall and winter semesters, the library is open 21 hours daily, 8 a.m.-5 a.m., from the third week to the end of each semester. Call for spring and summer hours. Web: [www.lib.umich.edu/libhome/UGL/uglib.html](http://www.lib.umich.edu/libhome/UGL/uglib.html)



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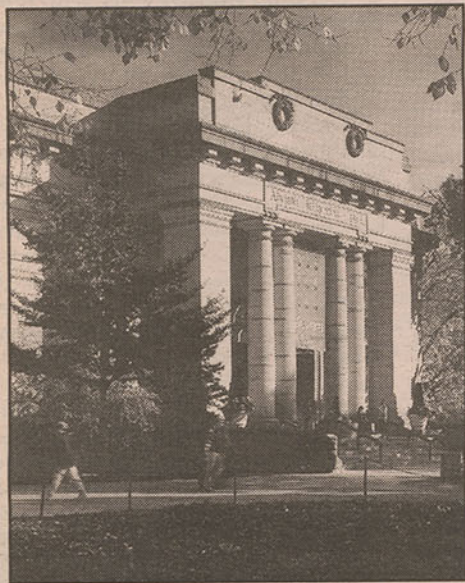
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**The U-M Film and Video Library**, Rm. 2178, Shapiro Library. 764-5360. This library has a collection of over 13,000 titles on VHS cassettes, laser disc, 16 mm film, and CD-ROM, including foreign features and educational programs that aren't available elsewhere. Titles are listed on the MRLYN computer system and in an in-house catalog. Collection is primarily intended for use by U-M faculty and staff for their classes and programs. A subset of the collection is available for rental through the Video Alternative (763-9760) for those with a U-M Library borrower's card. Fee is \$2.50-\$3. Mon.-Fri. 9:30 a.m.-noon & 1-5 p.m. (spring-summer term: Mon.-Fri. 10 a.m.-noon & 1-5 p.m.). Web: [www.lib.umich.edu/lib-home/FVL/lib/fvl.html](http://www.lib.umich.edu/lib-home/FVL/lib/fvl.html) E-mail: [fvl.office@umich.edu](mailto:fvl.office@umich.edu)

**Media Union**, 2281 Bonisteel, North Campus. 936-3191. The new Media Union on North Campus includes many digital resources and supports the creative aspects of disciplines from art, architecture, and music to engineering and the humanities. Its engineering holdings are among the largest and richest technology collections in the country, with over 520,000 volumes. Its art resources include a large image collection, architectural drawings, photographs, maps, and manuscripts. Special collections include art folios, engineering industry standards, U.S. patents and trademarks on microfilm, and EPA, Department of Energy, and NASA technical reports. The gallery within the Media Union is open to the public and offers a regular and ongoing series of exhibits, including painting, sculpture, technology, and interactive art. Open 24 hours, 7 days a week.

**Departmental Libraries.** The university library system includes several departmental libraries. Call for locations and hours. AS 764-0406; Dentistry, 764-1526; Fine Arts, 764-5405; Information and Library Studies, 764-9373; Museums, 764-0467; Music, 764-2512; Public Health, 936-1391; Social Work, 764-5169; Taubman Medical, 763-3071.

Some independent school and departmental libraries have more specialized collections and/or more limited public access: Center for Afro-American and African Studies, 764-5518; the Kresge Business Administration Library, 764-9464; the Women's Studies Library, 647-0779; and the Law Library, 764-9322.

### U-M HISTORICAL LIBRARIES

**Bentley Historical Library**, 1150 Beal, North Campus. 764-3482. This library houses the Michigan Historical Collections of primary source material pertaining to state and local history, as well as the U-M archival collections. Archivists provide expert assistance with specific inquiries. Exhibits highlight materials from the collections. Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-p.m., Sat. 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m. (no Sat. hours May-Aug.). Visit the library's Web site ([www.umich.edu/~bhl/](http://www.umich.edu/~bhl/)) for further information about the library and its programs and



view the Bentley's on-line historical exhibits. For reference information E-mail: [bentley@umich.edu](mailto:bentley@umich.edu)

**Clements Library**, 909 South University. 764-2347. World-famous collection of historical material relating to American history and culture from 1492 to 1950, including rare books, manuscripts, prints, maps, music, and photographs. The library's resources are available for historical research. Visitors must apply to use the collections, present personal identification, and be interviewed before permission is granted. Regular exhibits open to the public; tours available by appointment. Reading Room hours: Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-noon & 1-5 p.m. Exhibit hours: noon-4:30 p.m. E-mail: [ashy@umich.edu](mailto:ashy@umich.edu)

**Gerald R. Ford Library**, 1000 Beal, North



Campus. 741-2218. This library, run by the National Archives and built after Ford (a U-M grad) left the presidency, offers over 20 million memos, minutes, cables, photos, news videos, oral histories, and more. The focus is on domestic and foreign affairs and national politics, mostly in the 1970s. Anyone may use this material, aided by database searches and expert staff help. Mon.-Fri. 8:45 a.m.-4:45 p.m. (except federal holidays). Web: [www.lib.utexas.edu/ford/](http://www.lib.utexas.edu/ford/) E-mail: [library@fordlib.utexas.edu](mailto:library@fordlib.utexas.edu)

## MUSEUMS

**Ann Arbor Hands-On Museum**, 219 E. Huron. 995-KIDS. Over 250 exciting, interactive science exhibits for kids of all ages. Visitors can encase themselves in a giant soap bubble, use a toaster to make a hot air balloon take flight, and learn how a toilet works. Traveling exhibitions, a preschool gallery, and free weekend demonstrations are included with admission. The museum also offers weekend and summer classes, birthday parties, camp-ins, outreach programs, and volunteer opportunities. The Explore Store offers hundreds of science toys and books. Tues.-Fri. 10 a.m.-5:30 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sun. 1-5 p.m. Ad-

media and original prints celebrates events of national significance since 1972, including the opening of the National Air and Space Museum and the Persian Gulf War. Call for information regarding specific stops and admission prices (which vary among communities). Office hours: Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

**Cobblestone Farm**, 2781 Packard. Call interpretive specialist Kerry Adams, 994-2928, or facilities supervisor Nancy Burghardt, 973-7267. This 1844 stone farmhouse is being restored by community volunteers to re-create the life of a farm family in the mid-nineteenth century. Frequent special events and living history demonstrations throughout the year. See Children, p. 75, for program information. Memorial Day weekend-Labor Day weekend: Fri. & Sun. 1-4 p.m. Special arrangements can be made for schools and other groups. Barn available for rental; call rental coordinator Kris Doten, 971-8789. Admission: \$1.50/adult, \$1/youth and senior, \$5/family. Children under 3, free.

**Kelsey Museum of Archaeology** (U-M), 434 S. State. 764-9304. This elegant Romanesque building houses an enormous collection of artifacts from ancient Greece, Rome, Egypt, and the Near East. This fall, the museum opens a new exhibition, "Sepphoris in Galilee: Cross-

Victorian antiques and the mementos of the Kempf family, who lived in it from 1890 until 1953. The Kempfs were music teachers who played an important role in the local arts community. The house still contains their 1877 Steinway grand piano, Ann Arbor's first. The house also has exhibits of domestic life in Ann Arbor during the period and serves as a center for local history, sponsoring many special events during the year. Hours for guided tours: Sat. & Sun. 1-4 p.m. (Feb.-June & Sept.-Dec.); also by appointment. Lectures on topics of historic interest, Wed. noon-1 p.m. (Sept.-Nov. & Mar.-May). See monthly Observer calendars for lecture topics and special events. Admission: \$2.

**Matthaei Botanical Gardens** (U-M), 1800 N. Dixboro. 998-7060. This spacious indoor conservatory, a favorite midwinter oasis, harbors a variety of tropical, warm-temperate, and desert plants. Visitors can wander from the lily pad-filled goldfish ponds at the entrance through the three rooms of the conservatory, which are divided by climatic regions. The first room is filled with tropical plants, including award-winning orchids and striking bromeliads, and is home to a number of native Michigan birds, which fly in when the vents are open. The central greenhouse holds plants of warm-temperate climates and an exhibit of insectivorous plants. A more austere collection of cacti and other desert plants fills the desert house at the rear of the building, which opens onto a formal outdoor perennial and rose garden. The conservatory is surrounded by 350 acres of land crisscrossed by four nature walking trails, mature woodlands, wetlands, several ponds, and a native Michigan tall grass prairie. There are many theme gardens, including wildflower, rock, rose, perennials, herb, and shade gardens, as well as the Gateway Garden, featuring New World plants. Brochures provide self-guided tours of the conservatory and trails, but docent-guided tours can be arranged. Outdoor trail maps are available. The Gardens sponsors classes and workshops, family activities, and the **Ann Arbor Flower and Garden Show**, held each spring. The Friends group sponsors a **Perennial Sale** each spring and **Landscape Sale** each fall. Daily 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m. (indoor conservatory and garden shop), 8 a.m.-sunset (outdoor gardens and trails). Conservatory admission: \$2; children of school age \$1; free Mon. & Sat. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. No admission charge for outdoor gardens and trails.

**Parker Mill**, 4650 Geddes, on Fleming Creek, east of US-23. 971-6337. This restored nineteenth-century gristmill is named for the family that built it in 1873. One of the county's few remaining log cabins is on the grounds. A Washtenaw County park, Parker Mill is open only on weekends in September and October (call for further information on exact dates and times). Programs for school groups and others can be arranged spring through fall. The park surrounding the mill is open daily, year-round. A visitors center is open daily, 7 a.m.-8 p.m., from April through October. Admission is free. A new trail connects the mill with Gallup Park.

**U-M Exhibit Museum of Natural History**, 1099 Geddes Ave. 764-0478. This big, popular natural science museum, a favorite destination of local school groups and families, features an astounding variety of exhibits. Opening in October will be a new exhibit, "Back to the Sea," the most comprehensive exhibit on whale evolution in the country. The Hall of Evolution shows the development of prehistoric life, including a large collection of fossils and those perennial favorites—dinosaur and mastodon skeletons. The Michigan Wildlife Gallery has extensive collections of the plant and animal life of the state, plus exhibits that highlight current environmental issues. The museum also has displays of Native American life and culture and galleries focusing on such diverse fields as anthropology, geology, and human biology. Web: [www.exhibits.lsa.umich.edu](http://www.exhibits.lsa.umich.edu)

The **Planetarium** within the Exhibit Museum has shows on weekends, some suitable for

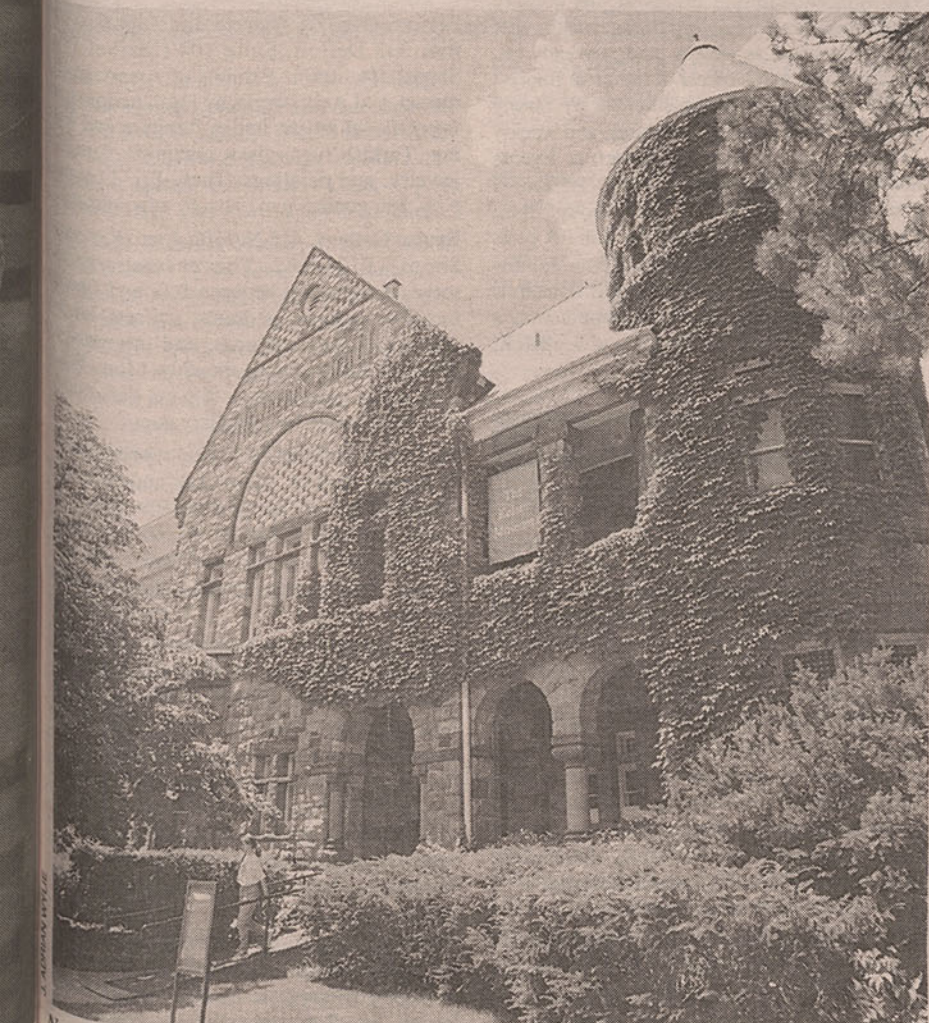


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**Artrain**, NEW Center, 1100 N. Main, Suite 106. 747-8300. Headquartered in Ann Arbor, this roving art museum travels within and outside of Michigan. The train appears at least once a year in Ann Arbor and frequently in the Detroit area. It primarily visits towns in conjunction with local festivals, generally staying four days at each stop. The 1996-1998 national tour, "Art in Celebration!" features contemporary artworks commissioned by the Smithsonian Associates. This collection of mixed

currents of Culture." A joint exhibition with the U-M Museum of Art, it focuses on the archaeological site of Sepphoris, an important city in Roman Palestine. The exhibit will include sculptures, architectural fragments, mosaics, jewelry, coins, ritual objects, ceramic, and glass vessels from Sepphoris and related sites. The art museum will mount a related exhibit Sept. 7-Dec. 14. Tours available upon request. Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Sat. & Sun. 1-4 p.m. Admission is free.

**Kempf House Center for Local History**, 312 S. Division. 994-4898. This 1853 Greek Revival house has been lovingly refurbished with

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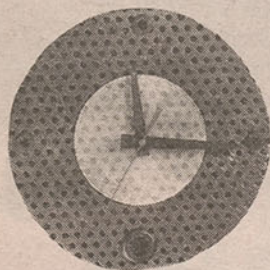
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## LIBRARIES, MUSEUMS, & GALLERIES

children. Museum hours: Mon.–Sat. 9 a.m.–5 p.m., Sun. 1–5 p.m. Admission to the museum is free, but groups of more than ten must reserve two weeks in advance and pay a group fee of \$1 per person; individual admission to the planetarium is \$3; seniors and children 12 and under, \$2.

**U-M Museum of Art**, 525 S. State. 764-0395. The permanent collections of this museum, considered to be one of the finest university art museums in the country, encompass both Western and Asian art from early times through the present. There is also a wide range of special exhibitions, often several at a time. This year's exhibitions include "Sepphoris in Galilee: Crosscurrents of Culture" (Sept. 7–Dec. 14), "The Body Unveiled" (Sept. 13–Oct. 26), a show of photographs of African-American men (Jan. 10–Mar. 22, 1998), and "Monet: A Turning Point" (Jan. 24–Mar. 15, 1998). The Monet exhibition brings to this country for the first time a painting of the artist's wife on her deathbed, as well as other pivotally important works in the career of the great Impressionist. Exhibits are supplemented by family programs, tours, concerts, lectures, and weekly ArtVideos (check monthly Observer Events listings for schedules). Tues.–Sat. 10 a.m.–5 p.m. (Thurs. till 9 p.m.), Sun. noon–5 p.m. Summer hours Tues.–Sat. 11 a.m.–5 p.m. (Thurs. till 9 p.m.), Sun. noon–5 p.m. Admission to the museum is free, though donations are always welcome. Fees for some concerts and special events. Web: [www.umich.edu/~umma](http://www.umich.edu/~umma)

**Ann Arbor Art Center**, 117 W. Liberty. 994-8004. The Exhibition Gallery showcases the talents of different contemporary Michigan artists in individual and group exhibits and themed competitions. Exhibits change monthly and feature a variety of mediums. The unique **Gallery Shop** is filled with original artwork, fiber, jewelry, ceramics, and paintings from local and regional artists. Tues.–Sat. 10 a.m.–5 p.m. (Fri. & Sat. till 9 p.m.), Sun. noon–5 p.m.

**Artful Exchange Gallery**, 215 E. Washington. 761-2287. An eclectic and constantly changing display of fine art that includes investment-quality art for resale, as well as prizewinning works by selected contemporary artists. Also, art jewelry by Vicki Schwager. Wed.–Fri. 11 a.m.–5 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.–5 p.m. Closed during August.

**Barclay's Gallery**. Two locations selling Japanese prints, English botanicals, custom framing, ancient art, and tribal art. 218 S. Main. 663-2900. Tues.–Sat. 11 a.m.–7 p.m. (Fri. & Sat. till 9 p.m.), Sun. noon–5 p.m. **Nickels Arcade**, 662-6800. Tues.–Sat. 10 a.m.–6 p.m., Sun. noon–5 p.m.

**Barrett's Antiques**, 848 East University. 994-8585. Victorian antiques, art glass, Rockwood pottery, American wood case clocks, cut glass, Czech art glass, Weller and Van Brigg pottery, cast iron still banks, and contemporary Pewabic pottery vases and tiles. Hours by appointment.

**Berman/Madzia Galeria and Lighting Studio**, 303 Detroit, Suite 104 (Market Place Shops). 741-0571. Exhibits of American, European, and Asian works by local, national, and international artists. Italian furniture and lighting, Turkish rugs, glass, ceramics, furniture, jewelry, and paintings. Tues.–Fri. 11 a.m.–5 p.m., Sat. noon–5 p.m.; also by appointment.

**Bruise Gallery**, 415 N. Fifth Ave. (Kerrytown Shops). 913-4982. This energetic gallery serves as a bridge between folk and fine art, including indigenous drums, artifacts, art, and jewelry. Local, national, and international artists. Exhibits change monthly. Mon.–Fri. 10 a.m.–7 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.–6 p.m., Sun. noon–5 p.m. Web: [www.bruisegallery.com](http://www.bruisegallery.com)

**The Clay Gallery**, 8 Nickels Arcade. 662-7927. Decorative, sculptural, and functional ceramic pieces by the 12 members of this local artists' collective. Mon.–Fri. 9:30 a.m.–5:30 p.m., Sat. 9:30 a.m.–5 p.m., Sun. noon–4 p.m. **DeBoer Gallery**, 303 Detroit, Suite 106 (Market Place Shops). 741-1257. Colorful, often whimsical sculpture, painting, jewelry, clothing, and furniture by contemporary American artisans. Tues.–Sat. 10 a.m.–5:30 p.m.

**Feat of Clay**, 305 S. Ashley. 327-9552. Ann Arbor's one and only bisque-ware studio. Pick up preformed bisque ware, design a piece using nontoxic glazes, leave your piece for a week to claim your work of art. An expansion of the Ann Arbor Art Center. Call for hours and prices.

**Galerie Jacques**, 616 Wesley at Paul. 665-9889. Contemporary outsider art by emerging artists from Europe and the United States. Sat. 2–6 p.m.; also by appointment. Call for summer hours.

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**Gifts of Art (U-M Health System)**. 936-ARTS. Eight galleries scattered throughout the U-M Hospitals offer changing exhibits of art works in all media by Michigan artists and craftspeople. Daily 8 a.m.–8 p.m.

**Institute for the Humanities (U-M)**, Rackham Bldg., Rm. 1524, 915 E. Washington. Exhibits of works in all media by U-M art faculty. (See also Rackham Gallery.) Mon.–Fri. 9 a.m.–5 p.m. Please call first, 936-3518.

**Inuit Art Gallery**, 303 Detroit, Suite 105

### ANN ARBOR ART FAIRS

The Ann Arbor Art Fairs put Ann Arbor on the visual arts map. Founded in 1960, this four-day event draws artists from across the country and visitors from throughout the Midwest. The fair is the biggest public event of the year in Ann Arbor, attracting an estimated half-million visitors.

There are actually three separate fairs: the original **Ann Arbor Street Art Fair** (994-5260) on South University, the **State Street Area Art Fair** (663-6511) in the State Street shopping area, and the **Summer Art Fair** (662-3382), with sections on State Street next to the U-M campus and on Main and Liberty streets downtown. In addition to displays by more than a thousand artists, the fairs feature a wide variety of outdoor entertainment and related events. See the Observer's annual Guide to the Ann Arbor Art Fairs for complete listings. 1998 Art Fair dates: July 15–18.

### GALLERIES

For the 361 days a year when the Art Fair isn't in town, Ann Arbor has a diverse and ever-changing art scene. Galleries abound, offering fine art for every taste; but look closely, too, at exhibits in cafes and restaurants: the Del Rio, the three Espresso Royale Caffe, and Sweetwaters Cafe, among others, do a nice job of displaying works by up-and-coming local artists. Sometimes they're quite good. The main branch of the Ann Arbor District Library also mounts art exhibits several times a year.

This section lists both private and nonprofit galleries in the Ann Arbor area.

**Animality**, 303 Detroit, Suite 107 (Market Place Shops). 213-2745. Contemporary art with an animal theme. Ceramics, pottery, jewelry, prints, gift items, and glassware. Mon.–Sat. 10:30 a.m.–5:30 p.m., Sun. 11 a.m.–4 p.m.

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**Matrix Gallery**, 212 Miller. 663-7775. All manner of contemporary visual art. Features new, emerging, and experimental one-of-a-kind objects, site-specific installations, and mixed-media works. Continuous rotating shows at Sweetwaters Cafe (corner of Washington and Ashley). Sat. & Sun. noon-5 p.m., during exhibits. Call for information.

**Michigan Guild Gallery**, 118 N. Fourth Ave. 662-3382. This contemporary arts and fine crafts gallery features works by members of the Michigan Guild of Artists and Artisans, students, and community organizations. Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-5 p.m. (closed during July & August).

**Michigan Union Art Lounge**, U-M Michigan Union, first floor, 530 S. State. 763-3202. This quiet lounge features changing exhibits of work by U-M students and other local artists. Hours coincide with the Union's hours, which vary throughout the year. Call for current schedule.

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**Rackham Gallery** (U-M), Rackham Bldg., third floor, 915 E. Washington. 764-8572. Changing exhibits by U-M art students and faculty, and annual show of artwork by students in the Ann Arbor Public Schools. Also U-M department-sponsored exhibits. (See also Institute for the Humanities.) Hours vary.

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**Wisteria Gallery**, 212 E. Washington. 663-5136. New gallery featuring contemporary Chinese art, including oil paintings, woodblock prints, and peasant prints. Tues.-Fri. 11 a.m.-5 p.m.

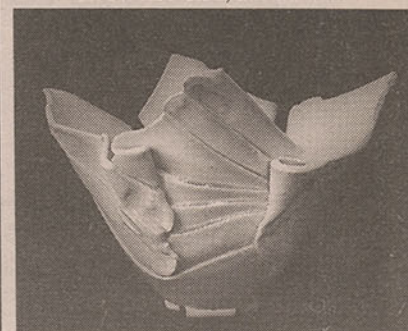
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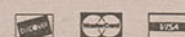


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# RECREATION

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Ann Arbor's numerous off-street trails and traveled neighborhood streets pulse with joggers throughout the year. Legions of cyclists glide along the winding Huron River gently lit summer evenings. Thousands of people take part in organized team sports—a rare Ann Arbor workplace that doesn't have a softball or basketball team—and hot-contested league games are rehearsed in the city's taverns late into the night. The U-M's large, modern recreation buildings, various city structures, the county recreation building, and private health clubs keep Ann Arborites in shape during the winter. And Ann Arbor is blessed with an abundance of parkland, intelligently acquired and evenly distributed all over the city (see map, p. 61). For information on children's recreation and sports, see Children, p. 75.

Prices, except as noted, are current as of July 1997.

Indicates special programs or prices for seniors.

## MAJOR PROGRAMS & FACILITIES

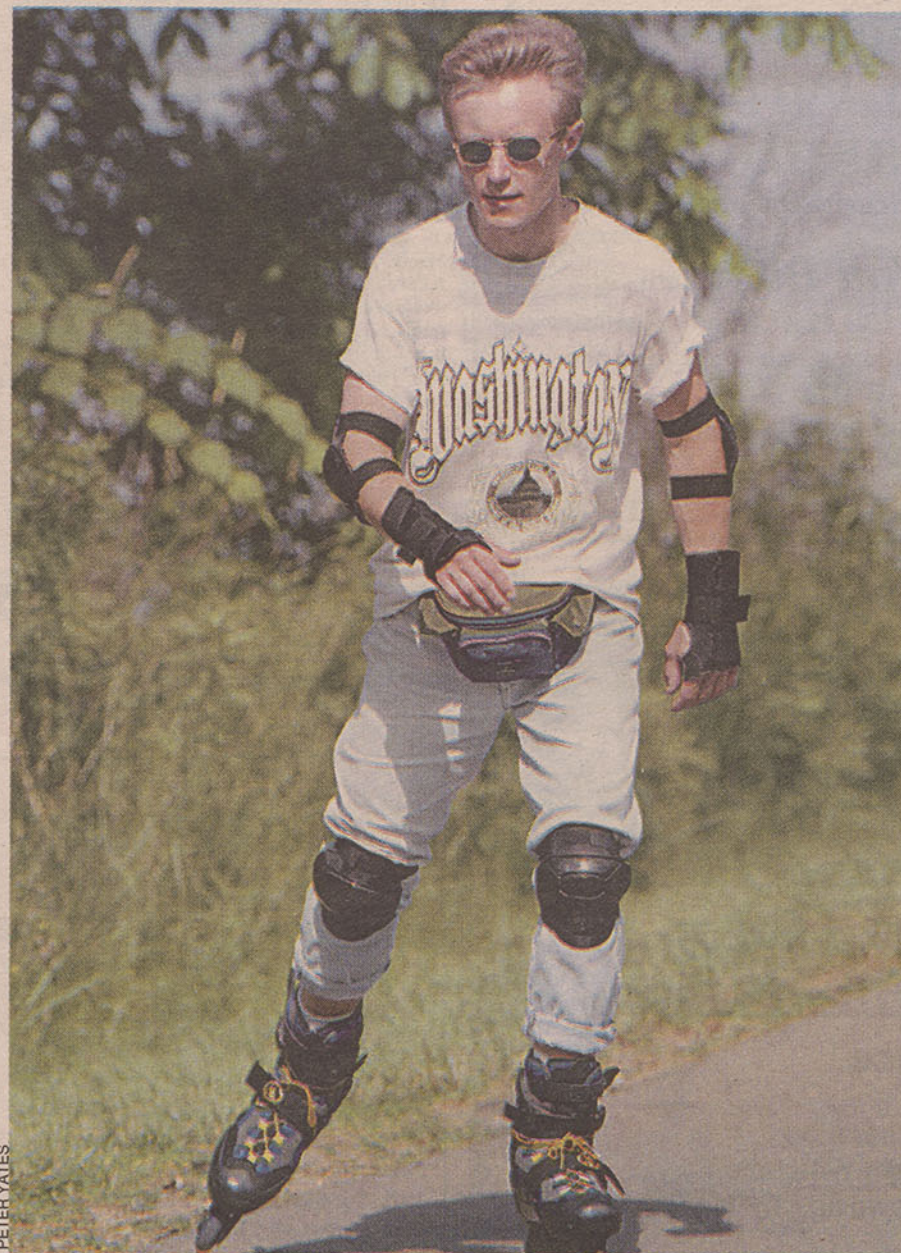
These programs offer a wide variety of sports and recreational activities; consult the Team Sports and Individual Sports listings below to see if they include your favorite sport.

**Ann Arbor Department of Parks and Recreation.** Main floor of Larcom Municipal Bldg., Huron at Washtenaw Ave. 994-2780. The department's recreational activities hotline is 769-9140. Scholarships for low-income Ann Arborites provide free passes to city pools, rinks, and classes; they're available from this department, or from Rec & Ed (see below).

**Ann Arbor Public Schools Community Education and Recreation (Rec & Ed).** Ann Arbor Public Schools Balas Bldg. III, 2765 Boardwalk, 48106-2300. A complete class and program catalog is printed seasonally and is distributed in the *Ann Arbor News* and at area libraries and schools. If you have the booklet, you can also try stopping by the office in person, as handouts on current programs are usually available there.

**Ann Arbor YMCA.** 350 S. Fifth Ave. 663-0536. The Y is a nonprofit, community-based membership organization. Adult membership \$336/year, family \$52/year, youth \$120/year. Corporate memberships are also available. Individuals who would like to take a class through the YMCA do not have to be members, although members receive significant discounts and priority enrollment. A catalog and time schedule that provides class fees, times, and location is available quarterly. Call 663-0536 to be put on the mailing list. Mon.-Fri. 6 a.m.-10 p.m., Sat. 8 a.m.-6 p.m., Sun. 11 a.m.-6 p.m. S

**U-M Facilities.** Students, faculty, staff, and alumni use facilities at the **Central Campus Recreation Building (CCRB)**, 401 Washtenaw at Geddes (763-3084); the **North Campus Recreation Building (NCRB)**, 2375 Hubbard (763-4560); and the **Interim Sports Building (IMSB)**, 606 E. Hoover (763-3562). Student fees are included in tuition charges. Department of Recreational Sports user fees are available to faculty and staff for \$107 a year; passes for nonstudents sponsored by a current-enrolled student or currently employed staff member or alumnus are \$162 a year; passes for U-M



In-line skaters share riverfront paths with bicyclists, walkers, and joggers.

alumni and for spouses of U-M faculty, staff, and students also are \$162 a year. Passes for retired U-M employees and for children (up to age 17) of U-M faculty, staff, alumni, and students are \$54 a year; dependents over the age 17 are \$102 a year. Day passes for sponsored nonstudents are \$5.

**U-M Sports Clubs.** 763-4560. These clubs are free to U-M students. Nonstudents often can take part by buying a user pass (see above), or by paying \$5 a day to participate in club activities. Each club determines its own membership rules; however, each club is required to have at least 50 percent student membership. Sports include: aikido, archery, boxing, cricket, cycling, dance team, fencing, figure skating, Frisbee (men's and women's), handball, ice hockey (men's and women's), kayaking, lacrosse (men's and women's), ninjitsu karate, pencak silat, rowing, rugby (men's and women's), sailing, shorin ryu karate, shotokan karate, skiing, soccer (men's and women's), suibukon, synchro-swim, tae kwon do, volleyball (men's and women's), water polo (men's and women's), and water skiing.

**U-Move Program.** 764-1342. Offers over 60 classes, open to the public. Most of the classes are held at the CCRB and NCRB, and their cost includes a facilities pass valid for the times your class meets. Class schedules are tied to the university calendar; 1997 fall classes begin September 8, and other series begin in January, May, and July. Both facilities offer personal training and body composition assessment.

**The Washtenaw County Recreation Center at County Farm Park.** 2960 Washtenaw at Platt. 971-6337. A multitude of recreation facilities can be found here, including a walk-run track, gym, pool, weight room, and cardiovascular room. Facility rates are \$3 per day for users ages 18-62, and \$1.50 per day for seniors and young people. Year-round passes are \$125 for adults, \$95 for seniors and youth, and \$310 for families (up to four members). Mon.-Fri. 7 a.m.-10 p.m., Sat. 8 a.m.-6 p.m., Sun. noon-10 p.m. Individuals do not have to pay facility fees in order to register for classes, which are open to all residents of Washtenaw County. The Washtenaw County Department of Parks and Recreation also publishes *The Recreationist*, which provides information on the County Recreation Center and various Washtenaw County parks.

## TEAM SPORTS

### BASKETBALL

**Rec & Ed** (994-2300) organizes adult basketball leagues in the winter. Players must enter the league on already established teams; over 140 teams participate. Registration is November 4-6. Play begins in early December and ends in March.

**Indoor basketball courts** are available at the Washtenaw County Recreation Center (971-6337) and at U-M facilities, including the CCRB (763-3084), the NCRB (763-4560), the IMSB (763-

3562), and the Sports Coliseum at Hill St. and Fifth Ave. (763-5195), for pass holders and their guests. Basketball hours at the U-M buildings change each semester. Call the specific building for schedule information. The YMCA (663-0536) offers open basketball Mon., Tues., Thurs., & Fri. noon-2 p.m., and some evenings (call for times). Use of the Y court is free to members; there is a small fee for nonmembers.

Many city parks have **outdoor courts** available for public use; call 994-2780 for information. High-caliber games for elite and college players can usually be found at Burns Park and the U-M's Elbel Field.

The Ann Arbor Center for Independent Living sponsors the **Ann Arbor Thunderbirds Wheelchair Basketball** team. Pickup games are held every Thurs. 8-10 p.m. at the Washtenaw County Recreation Center. League play lasts from October through March. Call Kevin at 677-1390 for more information.

### FIELD HOCKEY

The **Ann Arbor Field Hockey Club** plays on Sundays, 1-3 p.m., in September and October at Greenhills School, 850 Greenhills Dr. Men and women (age 18 and up) of all skill levels are welcome. The team also travels to tournaments throughout the Midwest. Call Jane Nixon at 677-0633 for more information.

### ICE HOCKEY

The Department of Parks and Recreation runs ice hockey leagues from mid-October through mid-March. About 40 teams participate. Leagues include the Masters 30-and-over draft, competitive adult men's programs at three different skill levels, and the Adult Never-Ever Program, a spring league that stresses noncompetitive play and is designed for those who have never played organized adult hockey. Costs average \$210 per person. Individuals who want to play organized hockey should call Veterans Memorial Park Ice Arena (761-7240) to receive a waiver releasing their names to team managers who need extra players.

The Department of Parks and Recreation also maintains a covered outdoor ice rink at Buhr Park (971-3228) that offers **drop-in hockey** for players age 15 and over on two afternoons per week from December through March, with Saturday night drop-in hockey for players age 18 and over. Call for fees. Drop-in hockey is available for players over age 30 on Sunday mornings at Buhr and on Wednesday evenings at Veterans Ice Arena (761-7240). Players must be preregistered to participate. On a more informal basis, the Burns Park rink (1620 Wells) also offers drop-in play during the winter, weather permitting.

### RUGBY

**U-M Women's Rugby Football Club.** Contact Katie Page, 761-2302. The club practices once or twice a week and travels to local and regional tournaments on Saturdays from September through May. No experience is necessary and players of all ages (over 18) and skill levels are welcome. Summer season available. Call or E-mail (kpage@umich.edu) for details.



The U-M women's rugby football club welcomes players of all ages.



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# RECREATION

## SOCCER

Soccer can be played on U-M's Elbel, Palmer, and Mitchell fields; a current U-M user pass is required. Mitchell and Elbel are available for rental when they are not being used by a U-M sports club. Call 763-3084 for information.

**Wideworld Sports Center**, 2140 Oak Valley Dr. 913-4625. Indoor soccer and roller hockey facility. Offers league soccer play in eight-week sessions October through April. Teams of all skill levels and ages, ranging from 8 yrs.-40+ yrs., are available. Cost for new individual participants is \$65. A six-week instructional soccer session for 4-6 year olds is offered at \$50. During the summer the center runs a kids camp for 5-12 year olds that teaches soccer, basketball, floor hockey, and volleyball. For more information, call Mon.-Fri. noon-6 p.m.

**Ann Arbor Soccer Association**. Contact Soccer Mania, 2414 E. Stadium, 973-9960, or write the AASA at 1756 Plymouth, Suite 313, AA 48105. Offers open and women's leagues during the fall, spring, and summer. The AASA assembles teams of balanced ability levels. Games are played on a half-sized field using half-sized goals. Each season lasts eight weeks; teams play two nights a week at Fuller Park. Twenty teams of 12 players each usually participate. There is a \$43 fee. A co-rec league plays Friday nights during the summer on a full-sized field; the fee for this league is only \$30.

The AASA also sponsors adult competitive leagues. Participants organize their own teams to enter league play. Contact the AASA for more information or visit the web site to obtain a registration form. Web: [www.personal.umich.edu/~leekatt/AASAregristration.html](http://www.personal.umich.edu/~leekatt/AASAregristration.html)

**Ann Arbor Rec & Ed** (994-2300) organizes a summer five-on-five high school and adult soccer

program. There are competitive and recreational leagues with an end of the season tournament. Registration begins the third week of June and the season starts the second week of July. Call for more information on fees and rules.

The YMCA (663-0536) offers fall and winter indoor open and women's soccer leagues available to all abilities, including senior levels. Call for details.

## SOFTBALL

Softball draws more participants than any other program offered by Rec & Ed (994-2300). Approximately 300 teams play in the summer season. Registration begins early May. Ninety teams play in the fall season (organizational meetings held in early July; begins early September). Watch the sports section of the *Ann Arbor News* or contact Rec & Ed for specific dates of registration.

Teams are divided into leagues of varying levels for men's, women's, and co-rec slow-pitch softball. All teams must pay sponsor fees and individual player fees. Softball players who are not on a team can have Rec & Ed release their names, phone numbers to managers or can join a Play Without a Team team.

Rec & Ed provides softball diamonds at Ann Arbor schools and parks for people who organize their own games. Approximately 60 diamonds are available to the public from early May through the end of August on a first-come, first-served basis. These other diamonds may be reserved by calling 994-2300 ext. 212, from April 1 till the end of the season. Field reservations one or two weeks in advance. Fields are rented on an hourly basis; call for fee information. An additional \$35 maintenance fee will be charged to organizations that use the fields intensively.

The U-M's Mitchell and Elbel fields can be reserved for a variety of sports, including softball. Call 763-3084 for availability and fee information.

## VOLLEYBALL

Close to 400 teams participate in Rec & Ed's fall and spring volleyball leagues. Fall/winter play

## Hidden treasures of the park system

Ann Arbor's dramatic topography—hilly, glacial moraines intercut by creeks and river valleys—provides the setting for an astonishing collection of parks. Popular riverfront spots include Nichols Arboretum and Gallup Park, but the area's 130-plus parks and nature areas also include several little-known gems.

On the west side, **Hunt Park** (59, D4) sits atop a glacial hill, offering a panorama of downtown. **Wurster Park** (134, D5), on the southwest side, also affords nice views for much of the year. One of its two giant oaks served as the model for the tree on the Ann Arbor city seal. **West Park** (127, D4), near downtown, is especially attractive, with little hillocks perfect for young sledders in winter.

The city park system abounds in pockets of deep wilderness where you can sometimes feel as if no one could possibly find you. The wildest of all is **Marshall Nature Area** (80, I2), eighty-seven acres of ridges, hollows, and low-lying meadows east of Domino's Farms. Enter at a hidden driveway on the west side of Dixboro Road just north of Plymouth. One circular trail leads through the park—much of it indicated only by paint blazes on trees. A smaller west-side equivalent is **Miller Park** (85, C4): two obscure entrances on Miller Road west of Newport drop

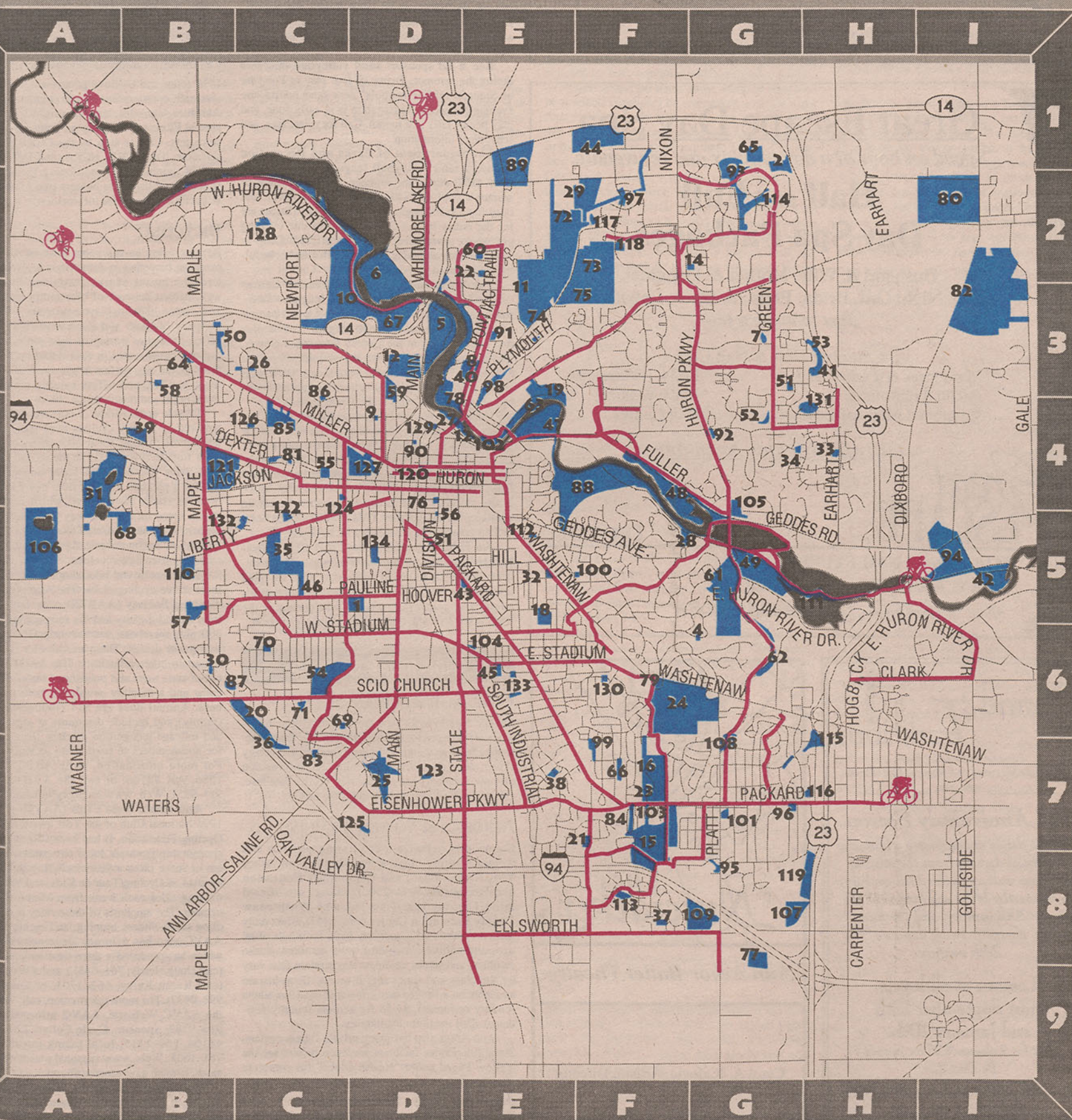
off immediately into a densely overgrown valley. So many small trails switch direction so quickly that a delicious disorientation can set in if you lose it. **Bird Hills Nature Area** (10, D1) climbs impressively from Huron River Drive to the top of a moraine. Several trails traverse the park's 160 acres. Enter on Newport just north of M-14 or on Bird Road.

Ann Arbor's western edge abuts an area of glacial land, pockmarked with swamplike kettlehole lakes. Three major parks are located there. **Dolph Nature Area** (31, A4) offers good wood chip trails that lie above an intricate system of creeks and wetlands connecting the First Sister and Second Sister lakes. Almost invisible spur trails lead down to the water. The U-M's **Saginaw Forest** (106, A5) is a research woodland with a trail that winds from the edge of Third Sister Lake through piney uplands, passing other pristine-looking ponds. At **Eberwhite Woods** (35, C5), the glaciers left odd damp spots in the ground. In the spring, a green lace of undergrowth leaves out under the branches of the still-bare mature trees.

**Black Pond Woods Nature Area** (11, E3) is formed around another glacial ripple. At its center, between two sharp ridges, is a heavily shaded pond further darkened by decaying leaves. Enter from Leslie Science Center, where a trail rises into the bushes from the right side of the Project Grow lot, or from the Arrowwood Hills Center, where a small trail leads off the back side of the last parking lot.



# ANN ARBOR PARKS, NATURE AREAS & BICYCLE ROUTES



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| 1. Allmendinger Park, D6             | 23. Cobblestone Farm, F7       | 46. Fritz Park, C5                      | 68. Lakewood Nature Area, B5        | 91. Northside Park, E3                 | 113. Stoneybrook Park, F8           |
| 2. Arbor Hills Nature Area, G1       | 24. County Farm Park, F6       | 47. Fuller Recreation Area, E4          | 69. Lansdowne Park, C6              | 92. Oakridge Nature Area, G4           | 114. Sugarbush Park, G2             |
| 3. Argo Park, D3                     | 25. Cranbrook Park, D7         | 48. Fursenberg Nature Area, F4          | 70. Las Vegas Park, C6              | 93. Oakwoods Nature Area, G1           | 115. Sylvan Park, H7                |
| 4. Bader Park, G6                    | 26. Creal Park, C3             | 49. Gallup Park, G5                     | 71. Lawton Park, C6                 | 94. Parker Mill, I5                    | 116. Terhune Pioneer Cemetery, H7   |
| 5. Bandemer Park, D3                 | 27. Depot Park, D4             | 50. Garden Homes Park, B3               | 72. Leslie Nature Area, E2          | 95. Pilgrim Park, G8                   | 117. Traver Creek Nature Area, F2   |
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| 8. Beckley Park, E3                  | 30. Dicken Park, B6            | 53. Greenbrier Park, H3                 | 75. Leslie Woods Nature Area, F3    | 98. Plymouth Parkway, E3               | 120. Urban Sculpture Plaza, D4      |
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| 10. Bird Hills Nature Area, D3       | 32. Douglas Park, E5           | 55. Hannah Park, C4                     | 77. Lillies Park, G8                | 100. Postman's Rest Park, F5           | 122. Virginia Park, C5              |
| 11. Black Pond Woods Nature Area, E3 | 33. Earhart Park, H4           | 56. Hanover Square, D5                  | 78. Longshore Park, D4              | 101. Redwood Park, G7                  | 123. Ward Park, D7                  |
| 12. Bluffs Park, D3                  | 34. Earhart West, G4           | 57. Hansen Park, B5                     | 79. Manchester Park, F6             | 102. Riverside Park, E4                | 124. Waterworks Park, C4            |
| 13. Broadway Park, E4                | 35. Eberwhite Woods, C5        | 58. Hollywood Park, B3                  | 80. Marshall Nature Area, I2        | 103. Rose Park, F7                     | 125. Waymarket Park, D7             |
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| 19. Cedar Bend Park, E4              | 41. Folkstone Park, H3         | 64. Kelly Park, B3                      | 86. Mixwood Potomona Park, C4       | 109. Southeast Area Park, G8           | 130. Winchell Park, F6              |
| 20. Churchill Downs, C6              | 42. Forest Nature Area, I5     | 65. Kilburn Park, G1                    | 87. Mushroom Park, B6               | 110. South Maple Park, B5              | 131. Windemere Park, H4             |
| 21. Clinton Park, F8                 | 43. Forsythe Park, D5          | 66. Kimberly Colony Park, F7            | 88. Nichols Arboretum, F4           | 111. South Pond Nature Area, H5        | 132. Winewood Thaler Park, B5       |
| 22. Cloverdale Park, E2              | 44. Foxfire, E1                | 67. Kuebler Langford Park, D3           | 89. Northeast Area Park, E1         | 112. South University Park, E5         | 133. Woodbury Park, E6              |
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## RECREATION

gins in September. Spring play begins in early March. Call Rec & Ed (994-2300) for details. Leagues are available for open, men's, women's, and co-rec teams of varying skill levels. Fees vary; call for information.

Rec & Ed sponsors sand volleyball outdoors during the summer. Teams of four play at Forsythe or Slauson middle schools' new sand courts one evening per week. Registration is in early June, and play begins later that month. Call for rules, fees, and scheduling information.

The Department of Parks and Recreation sponsors sand volleyball leagues at Fuller Park (994-4263) during the summer. Organized teams of women's doubles (\$40), men's doubles (\$40), and coed fours (\$50) begin play in mid-June. (Prices are for the entire team.) Games are held one evening per week; tournaments are also offered. Drop-in schedule also available. Call for rules and scheduling information.

The Washtenaw County Recreation Center (971-6337) organizes volleyball leagues. Two-, four-, and six-person teams at all skill levels participate in a number of different leagues. Teams play one night a week at the County Recreation Center. Players must form their own teams; limited space is available. Players without teams can have their names released to managers needing more players by calling the rec center at the above number.

Volleyball courts are also available for pickup games. Interested players can use U-M courts at the CCRB, NCRB, and IMSB if they have a user pass or are guests of a user. A sand court is available for public use at Elbel Field (U-M), located at Division and Hill, and outside the NCRB. Indoor volleyball space is also available at the County Recreation Center. In addition, the Ann Arbor YMCA (663-0536) hosts pickup games each Wednesday 12:30-2 p.m.

The U-Move program (764-1342) offers volleyball instruction for adults, students, and nonstudents in the fall and winter semesters. Call for more information. There's also volleyball instruction for adults and youth fall, winter, and spring at the YMCA (663-0536). Call for times and registration.

therapy, and large locker rooms with full amenities. Call for membership information and to arrange a tour of the facilities.

**One-on-One Athletic Club**, 2875 Boardman Ave. (994-4440). Fitness center offers personalized fitness programs, personal trainers, weight room, and more. Aerobic center offers over 100 classes per week, led by A.C.E. certified instructors. Facilities also include racquetball courts, a safe, a fense studio, saunas, kids' center with gym, massage, therapy, aromatherapy, yoga, fencing, and more. Call for further information and membership details.

U-M offers the U-Move program (764-1342) semester, open to students and community members. Aerobics, aquatics, dance, weight training, and special Fitness Over Fifty program are offered each semester. Call or stop by the CCRB for a current schedule. The CCRB, NCRB, and IMSB also offer weight-training and conditioning facilities open to students and user-pass holders (see Major Programs & Facilities, above, for information).

### BICYCLING

Besides being an enjoyable form of recreation and exercise, bicycling in Ann Arbor is a recognized means of transportation. The city has a well-marked network of bike routes and bike paths (and—since 1970—a bicycle program within the Department of Parks and Recreation (971-5471)). The office publishes a map of bike paths and recommended street routes in Ann Arbor and Washtenaw County (the city portion is summarized on the map, p. 131), and offers cycling courses, safety workshops, and maintenance clinics.

Bicycle registration (a onetime fee of \$2.50) is required of all city cyclists over age 12. It can be done through most local bike shops or at the clerk's office (994-2725) on the second floor of City Hall. Bring your bike or its serial number.

For a pleasant evening ride, many local cyclists head for Huron River Drive, which maintains a 15 m.p.h. speed limit all the way to Dexter. The subdivisions that have sprouted along this road have increased its traffic volume significantly, but it's still relatively friendly to cyclists.

There are seven bike shops in Ann Arbor and three active cycling clubs. The Ann Arbor Bicycle Touring Society (AABTS) organizes group rides (\$1) trips around the city and the surrounding area for 500-plus members; see monthly Observer listings for details. There are rides for both road and mountain bike enthusiasts. The AABTS also publishes out-of-state tours and publishes a bimonthly ride calendar and a monthly newsletter, both free to members. Annual dues are \$11 (individual) and \$15 (family) and include discounts at area bike shops and mileage recognition patches; there's no charge for nonmembers to participate in individual rides. For more information, write AABTS, P.O. Box 1585, AA 48106, or call the AABTS hotline at 913-9851. Web: www.hvcn.org/info/aabts

Ann Arbor Velo Club (AAVC) received the 1996 National Club of the Year award from the U.S. Cycling Federation. It has over 100 members, with sponsorship from six local companies. It promotes ten or more races a year, including the Ann Arbor Festival of Cycling/Tour de Kids, and schedules training rides each week from March through November. The emphasis of these rides is on bike handling skills, fitness training, and racing tactics. AAVC also has a Junior Development Program, which has produced a three-time national champion (call Doug Heady, 761-6431), and a Women's Team (call Karen Kerry, 662-1701, or Diane Dudley, 998-0632). For more information, call, write, or visit the AAVC Web site. AAVC information hotline: 913-9783; sponsor: Cycle Cellar, 220 Felch, 48104, 769-1115; local racing information line: 761-1603. Web: www.personal.umich.edu/~dheady/aavc/ E-mail: aavc-steering@umich.edu

**Potawatomi Mountain Bike Chapter** of the Michigan Mountain Bike Association (MMBA) is an organization dedicated to safe and responsible mountain biking in local recreation areas. This group also works to develop and maintain mountain bike trails. Weekend trips and community service activities are planned. For monthly meeting information, call Emil Sims, 663-3113, or the hotline at 663-9940. For MMBA information, E-mail go\_mmmba@aol.com

Single and tandem bicycles are available for hourly rental at the Gallup Park Livery, 3000 Fuller Rd. 662-9319. Cost for one hour is \$5 (single) or \$6 (tandem). Add 50¢ for each additional half hour. A \$10 cash deposit (\$15 after 5 p.m.) and a driver's license are necessary.

### BOATING, SAILING, & ROWING

**Ann Arbor Power Squadron** (information: 662-9138; class registration: 994-2300) is a social and educational group for powerboaters and sailboaters that offers beginning and advanced classes

### INDIVIDUAL SPORTS

#### GENERAL RESOURCES

**Safety Net Works** is a free service that helps women find exercise partners for outdoor fitness activities such as walking, jogging, and cross-country skiing. All fitness levels welcome. For information on how to access the Safety Net Works database, call Body Works Fitness Studio (668-8681).

#### AEROBICS & WEIGHT TRAINING

Community organizations offering aerobics and weight-training classes include the Ann Arbor YMCA (663-0536) and Community Education and Recreation (994-2300). Classes are offered throughout the year for a fee. The Washtenaw County Recreation Center (971-6337) offers daily aerobics classes on a quarterly basis for adults of all ages and abilities, including aqua-aerobics, studio aerobics, and senior aerobics. Registration fees vary by the class and times that it meets. Drop-ins are available on a limited basis; the cost is \$3 for adults (county residents), \$1.50 for seniors (county residents). Call ahead for availability.

Ann Arbor also has many private fitness centers. Some full-service facilities are listed below; see the Yellow Pages under "Health Clubs" for complete area listings.

**Bally's Vic Tanny**. Two centers open daily: 4860 Washtenaw (434-5000), 615 Briarwood Cir. (769-6600). Offers 60 aerobic classes. Features a 25-meter lap pool, a large selection of workout equipment, an indoor track, and racquetball courts. Call for membership information.

**Body Works Fitness Studio**, 117 N. First St. 668-8681. Features fitness courses where "all body types are welcome and celebrated." Courses offered include aerobics, with names like "Fat Burner" and "Power Hour." Also, massage therapy, an exercise-wear boutique, and an eclectic selection of workout music. Drop-ins welcome. Call for fee information.

**Liberty Sports Complex**, 2975 W. Liberty. 665-3738. Sports center with complete indoor and outdoor fitness facilities, many kids' programs, and child care. Offers 30-40 aerobic classes per week, basketball court, track, and coed fitness floor (includes cardiovascular and weight-training equipment). Also, indoor and outdoor pools, indoor and outdoor tennis courts, personal trainers, massage

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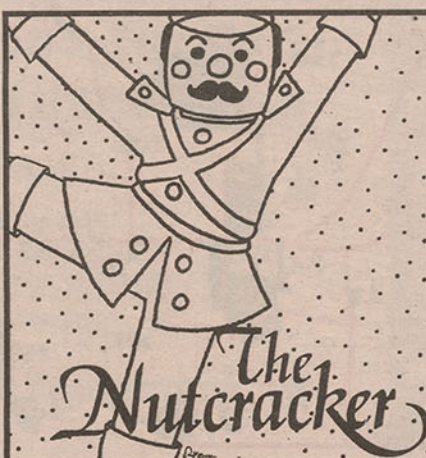
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times a year. Would-be members should start making the basic seven-week boating class; class starts October 8, February 11, and April 15 at Middle School, 2616 Nixon. Rec & Ed fees: facility fee (residents), \$18 (nonresidents); \$25 for materials.

**Ann Arbor Rowing Club**, P.O. Box 3128, AA 48106. 930-6462. This nonprofit organization provides a safe and affordable rowing (sculling) opportunity to all those interested, regardless of age, gender, physical ability, or experience. Learn to Row classes are available for all ages, as well as programs for competitive and adaptive rowers. Members at all levels compete in sponsored regattas. Four-week regattas held May through September on Argo Lake. Write for dues and fees.

**Lakes Paddlers**, 481-1883. Club sponsors events, offers paddling classes, and promotes environmental education and conservation. Meets Sept.-Nov. Annual dues: \$20. Call for location and further information.

**Sailing Club**, 8010 Strawberry Lake Rd., Base Lake, north of Dexter. 426-4299 or Kevin Kiley, 426-0920. Provides a fleet of boats and sails for members, who include both U-M students and the general public. General meeting every Wednesday (Apr.-Nov.), 7:45 p.m., U-M Dennisson Rm. 120. Also sponsors intracampus racing. Members available on Saturdays. Annual membership (Thanksgiving) is \$95 for students and \$140 for nonstudents. Summer membership (May-Aug.) is \$60 for students and \$105 for nonstudents. Web: [www.umich.edu/~umsc](http://www.umich.edu/~umsc) E-mail: [umsc@umich.edu](mailto:umsc@umich.edu)

**Bowling**  
**Mark Lanes**, 3530 Jackson. 994-8433. Offers lanes, a bar, pool tables, video games, and darts. Bowls from September through May. Cost varies depending on time of day and day of the week (\$0-\$2.25 per game). Shoe rental is \$1.75. Call for hours.

**Colonial Lanes**, 1950 South Industrial Hwy., 426-4474. Offers 40 lanes, restaurant and lounge, room, video/pinball room, and batting cages in summer. Bowling leagues are offered throughout the year. No reservations are necessary for open bowling (\$1-\$2 per game); cost varies depending on time of day, day of the week, and age of the bowler. Group rates available. Shoe rental is \$1.50. A new event is College Rock bowling—Thursday at 10 p.m. Ask about cosmic bowling—in-the-dark bowling).

**Canoeing**  
There are three canoe livery along the Huron River at Argo Park and Gallup Park. Argo Park, a private livery, operates out of Delhi Metropark. A canoe auction, a canoe rental, and several instructional clinics are held May and June at Gallup Park; call 662-9319 for more information.

**Argo Park Canoe Livery**, 1055 Longshore. 426-7411. Canoes, rowboats, fishing poles and supplies, long-term and overnight canoe rental, cartop carriers, canoe package trips, and concessions. To rent a canoe or a rowboat, a \$10 cash deposit (\$15 for bike racks 5 p.m.) and a driver's license are required. Rental fees are graduated by the hour: for two hours, cost is \$8 (weekdays) and \$12 (weekends & holidays). The maximum charge, for seven hours of canoeing, is \$14 (weekdays) and \$16.25 (weekends & holidays). Long-term canoe rental: \$14/day (for first 7 days), \$10/each additional day, plus an overnight charge of \$5/night. Scenic package trips, which allow you to travel downstream and return the canoe at a second facility, are also available by reservation. Cartop carrier rental: \$5 (single), \$7 (double). Hours: (Sept. & Oct.) Sat. & Sun. 9 a.m.-7 p.m.; (Apr. & May) Sat. & Sun. 9 a.m.-8 p.m.; (May & Sept. 2) Mon.-Fri. 11 a.m.-8 p.m., weekends & holidays 8 a.m.-9 p.m. Rentals stop one hour before closing time.

**Gallup Park Canoe Livery**, 3000 Fuller. 426-9319. Canoes, paddleboats, bikes, fishing supplies, and concessions. Paddleboat rental is \$4.50 for half hour (weekdays) or \$6 (weekends & holidays). Deposit, rental, and discount information is the same as for Argo Park (see above). Gallup Park offers special 50 percent discount off the second canoe rented on Tuesdays (for students with I.D.) and on Wednesdays (for families). Hours: (Sept.-Oct. & Apr. 23) Mon.-Fri. 11 a.m.-7 p.m., weekends & holidays 9 a.m.-7 p.m.; (May 24-Sept. 2) Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-9 p.m., weekends & holidays 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Rentals stop one hour before listed closing time. Rental is also available; see Bicycling, above.

**Huron River Canoe Livery**, Delhi Metropark, East Delhi Rd. 769-8686. Open April through October. Park at the Delhi Metropark; the livery will transport you to the ride's start point.

Weekdays: Hudson Mills Metropark trip (3-4 hours, \$24) leaves Delhi Park on the hour, Mon. noon-1 p.m., Tues.-Fri. 10 a.m.-1 p.m.; Dexter-Huron Metropark trip (1 1/2 to 2 hours, \$15) leaves Delhi on the hour, 2-4 p.m. Weekends: Hudson Mills trip leaves Delhi on the hour, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Twilight trips are available Monday through Friday for groups filling six or more canoes. There is a \$10 deposit for all canoes. Reservations are required for weekend and twilight trips, one or two weeks in advance.

## CLIMBING

**Ann Arbor Climbing Gym**, 324 W. Ann. 761-4669. An indoor rock-climbing facility with walls for all ages, ranging in difficulty from beginner to advanced levels. Beginner lessons and equipment rentals available. Prices: \$7 for a day pass (\$5 for children under 13), \$3 each for shoe and harness rentals, \$10 for a beginner lesson. Tues.-Fri. 11 a.m.-11 p.m., Sat. & Sun. 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

## DISC GOLF

This popular sport is played with Frisbees and other flying discs; the goal is to hit a "pole hole" with the disc in the fewest shots. There's no charge to play, aside from park entry fees. There are three courses in the area.

**Brown Park**, Birch Hollow Rd. east of Stone School Rd., sports an 18-hole course with a pond and a tricky path through the woods. **Hudson Mills Metropark**, 8801 North Territorial (between Dexter-Pinckney Rd. and Huron River Dr., 426-8211) has an 18-hole course and is home to the **Ann Arbor Area Disc Golf Club** (434-1615). Hosts league groups and tournaments year-round and sponsors a summer league group on Wednesday nights. Players are awarded points each week based on their performance in comparison to their established averages. \$20 seasonal fee includes league shirt and discs; spectators welcome. \$2 daily, \$3 weekend vehicle entrance fee. Equipment is available at the park activities center; deposit required. **Rolling Hills County Park**, 7600 Stony Creek south of Ypsilanti (484-3871, 484-7669), offers a 9-hole course year-round. \$3 parking fee (residents), \$6 (nonresidents).

## FISHING

On its journey through the city, the Huron River is repeatedly dammed, forming serene ponds that make for great fishing. But authorities recommend eating no more than one meal a week of fish from inland Michigan waters (one meal a month for children and women of childbearing age) because of widespread mercury contamination. The Huron contains a variety of fish: largemouth and smallmouth bass, rock bass, crappie, bluegill, carp, pike, catfish, and even some walleye. Popular fishing spots include Barton Dam (off Huron River Dr. at Barton Pond), Gallup Park, and Argo Dam. Those who want to get away from civilization can rent canoes from either the Argo Park or Gallup Park liveries and fish upstream. Live bait is available at both facilities. Gallup Park offers a free youth fishing pond.

All anglers are advised to consult the state Department of Natural Resources' fishing regulations; a copy is available at the Gallup canoe livery (662-9319). Anyone age 17 or older must have a fishing license. Licenses: restrictive, \$13 per year (includes all pan fish except trout and salmon), all-purpose, \$26 (includes all pan fish and trout and salmon). Licenses are sold at Meijer, Kmart, and Dunham's Sports.

Numerous small lakes, many only a short drive from Ann Arbor, offer good fishing. Call the Huron-Clinton Metroparks Authority at (800) 47-PARKS, or the Waterloo Recreation Area, 475-8307.

For guaranteed successful fishing without a license, check out **Spring Valley Trout Farm** (12190 Island Lake Rd., four miles west of Dexter). Popular with families and school and church groups, this fish farm offers natural artesian-spring ponds, well-stocked with trout and catfish. Spring Valley offers nine ponds total, each home to only one type of fish. They'll clean the fish you catch for you, and they have grills right on site (bring your own charcoal). Poles and bait provided. Call 426-4772 for hours and prices.

**Trout Unlimited** (665-7610) is a local chapter of a national organization based in Virginia that works to develop and protect cold-water fisheries, including projects that benefit fly and trout fishing streams in northern Michigan. The local chapter meets the third Wednesday of the month 7 p.m. (Oct.-May) at Community High School.

**Washtenaw County Bassmasters** (662-9319) is a bass fishing club that promotes fishing education, conservation, and tournaments. Meets first Wednesday of the month, 7 p.m., Gallup Park. Annual dues: \$20.

## GOLF—PUBLIC COURSES

Golfers have several challenging and well-maintained courses to choose from in Ann Arbor. The

city and the U-M each own two courses, and there are nationally known private courses in the area as well. For city courses, resident cards are available at no charge for Ann Arbor residents (bring a driver's license); the card entitles its holder to first priority in making Monday morning tee-time reservations and to certain youth and senior discounts.

**Huron Hills Golf Course**, 3465 E. Huron River Dr. 971-6840. 18 holes, par 67. Overlooking the Huron River and Gallup Park, the city-owned Huron Hills provides some of the city's best scenery. The course is suited for both beginning and experienced golfers.

Reservations are taken daily. Walk-on play may be available depending on reservation schedule. Tee-time reservations are taken beginning at 7 a.m. Monday a week in advance of play for Ann Arbor residents (nonresidents must wait until 10 a.m.). Greens fees: weekdays \$15 (18 holes), \$9.50 (9 holes), \$7 (seniors & juniors, 9 holes); weekends \$16 (18 holes), \$10.50 (9 holes). Special twilight rates: \$7.50 flat fee. Resident season passes: \$470 (5-day), \$520 (7-day), \$265 (seniors & youth). Nonresident season passes: \$590 (5-day), \$660 (7-day). Club rental: \$10/set (18 holes), \$7.50/set (9 holes). Pull cart rental: \$3 (18 holes), \$2 (9 holes). Snack bar. Hours: generally sunrise to sunset. S

**Leslie Park Golf Course**, 2120 Traver. 994-1163. 18 holes, par 72. This popular city-owned golf course was recently renovated. The rolling hills of Ann Arbor's northeast side, Traver Creek, and a series of small ponds make Leslie a picturesque course.

Reservation policies are the same as Huron Hills, but the fees are slightly higher. Greens fees: weekdays \$20 (18 holes), \$13 (9 holes); weekends and holidays \$23 (18 holes), \$14 (9 holes). Special twilight rates: \$10 flat fee. Junior or senior rates: \$12.50 (18 holes), \$9.50 (9 holes) weekdays only (Ann Arbor residents only). Car and cart rental and hours are the same as Huron Hills. S

## GOLF—U-M COURSES

**Radrick Farms**, 4875 Geddes. 998-7040. 18 holes, par 72. Designed by Pete Dye, Radrick covers 260 acres and is reserved for U-M faculty and staff and their guests. (There is a five-year waiting list for faculty and staff membership. U-M alumni are also welcome to place their names on the 15-year membership waiting list.)

Greens fees: members \$25 (weekdays), \$30 (weekends); guests \$40 (weekdays), \$50 (weekends). Twilight rates: members \$18, guests \$20. Cart rental \$20. No club rentals. Food cart available. Clubhouse hours: daily 7 a.m.-dark.

**University Golf Course**, Stadium Blvd. east of Main St. 663-5005. 18 holes, par 71. This course, one of five in the U.S. designed by Scottish architect Alister Mackenzie, is open to U-M students, faculty, staff, alumni, and their guests.

Tee-time reservations are taken starting at 7 a.m. Monday for the following weekend. Weekday reservations should be made one week in advance of the date of play. Greens fees: students \$18, faculty and staff \$25, alumni \$40, guests \$50. Twilight rates \$17. Golf cart rental: \$22 (18 holes), \$13 (9 holes). Pull cart rental: \$2.50. Clubs available for rent at \$15 a set. Clubhouse hours: daily 7 a.m.-dark.

## GOLF—PRIVATE & SEMIPRIVATE COURSES

Ann Arbor has two semiprivate and several private golf courses. Call each club for membership information.

**Georgetown Golf Course** (semiprivate), 1365 King George Blvd. 971-5500. 9 holes, par 3. Golf course open to the public from April 1-Oct. 15, weather permitting. Part of a swim, golf, and tennis club (memberships available).

Greens fees: \$9 weekdays (seniors \$7), \$11 weekends & holidays (seniors \$9). Second round an additional \$3.50 (seniors \$3). Pull-carts only, rental: \$2. Hours and course traffic vary. Call ahead. S

**Stonebridge Golf Club**, 5315 S. Stonebridge Blvd. 429-8383. 18 holes, par 72. This privately owned course, open to the public, was designed by Arthur Hills. *Golf Digest* magazine has given it a three-and-a-half-star rating. Each set of tees has a USGA golf rating, and three PGA pros are on staff to provide golf lessons. Full grill food service on site. (See Restaurants, p. 159, for hours and information.) Memberships offered.

Reservations are recommended. Greens fees: weekdays without a cart: \$30 (18 holes), \$18 (9 holes); weekdays with a cart: \$42 (18 holes), \$24 (9 holes); weekends & holidays without a cart: \$40 (18 holes), \$25 (9 holes); weekends & holidays with a cart: \$52 (18 holes), \$31 (9 holes). Twilight rates (6-9 p.m.): \$21 with cart; \$15 without. Daily 7 a.m.-9 p.m.

**Ann Arbor Country Club** (private), 4699 E. Loch Alpine. 426-4693. No waiting list.

**Ann Arbor Golf and Outing Club** (private), 400 E. Stadium. 663-4044. Waiting list currently about six years long.

**Barton Hills Country Club** (private), 730 Country Club Rd. 663-8511. Waiting list for a "resident" membership (includes golf course privileges; Barton Hills residency not required) currently estimated at 18 months.

**Polo Fields Golf and Country Club** (private), 5200 Polo Fields Dr. 998-1555. No waiting list.

**Travis Pointe Country Club** (private), 2829 Travis Pointe Rd. 662-2582. No waiting list.

**The Huron Valley Women's Golf Club** sponsors eight golf leagues, including a learning league, with more than 200 participants. The club acts as a general network for women golfers in the Huron Valley area and works to promote opportunities for women in golf. Plans a monthly in-town golf event, a monthly trip to courses in northern and western Michigan, hosts a women's invitational and a yearly play-off between leagues, and provides golf clinics. Membership is \$40 per year, including handicap. For more information call Janice Caldwell, 485-5683.

Ann Arbor has three driving ranges. **Liberty Golf Range** (2815 W. Liberty, 769-4536) is open daily 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Golf balls are \$5.25 for a large bucket, \$4.25 for a small one. **Miles of Golf** (3113 Carpenter, 973-9004) is open daily 10 a.m.-8 p.m. (summer hours: daily 9 a.m.-9 p.m.). Golf balls are \$7 for a large bucket, \$5 for a medium bucket, and \$3 for a small one. **The Arbor Dome** (3727 E. Morgan, 434-3663) is open Nov. 15-May 15 only. Daily 9 a.m.-9 p.m. (times may vary throughout the year). Temperature controlled, indoor, two-level driving range. PGA pros available. Fees based on time.

The Department of Parks and Recreation (994-2780) offers golf lessons from April to September. Classes are held at Liberty Golf Range and Huron Hills Golf Course (\$68 per session for beginners, \$72 intermediate). Golf clubs can be provided at no cost. Enroll in person on the sixth floor of City Hall or by mail. Classes fill up quickly.

## ICE & FIGURE SKATING

One of Ann Arbor's most popular recreational facilities is Veterans Memorial Park Ice Arena, the city's indoor skating rink. The city also runs a covered, outdoor artificial rink at Buhr Park, and the public can use the U-M's Yost Ice Arena.

**Natural ice rinks.** The park operations division of Parks and Recreation maintains fully supervised natural ice rinks during the winter months. Skating is free. Call for more information (994-2768).

In December, the Department of Parks and Recreation (994-2780) offers a demonstration of how to build and maintain a backyard ice rink; assistance is also available for neighborhood groups wanting to construct a community rink.

**Ann Arbor Figure Skating Club**, P.O. Box 1082, AA 48106. 213-6768. A registered chapter of the U.S. Figure Skating Association, this club offers year-round lessons for skaters of all skill levels in freestyle, ice dance, figures, field moves, power skating, hockey techniques, and precision. The club's office is in the A<sup>2</sup>Ice<sup>3</sup> rink (known as "The Cube") at 2121 Oak Valley. Skating times are available at the Cube and at Veterans Ice Arena. Call for dues and membership policies. In addition to its regular programs, the AAFSC holds a popular ice show, "Melody on Ice" at the Cube (1998 dates: April 3-5), and a springtime invitational competition (1998 dates: May 14-17). AAFSC will also host the Eastern Great Lakes Regional Championships Oct. 26-Nov. 2, 1997. Web: [members.aol.com/aafscub/aafschtml](http://members.aol.com/aafscub/aafschtml)

**A<sup>2</sup>Ice<sup>3</sup>**, 2121 Oak Valley. 213-1600. The Cube contains three private rinks used by clubs and hockey leagues, available for public skating and private party rental. There are two NHL-sized rinks and one Olympic-sized rink. One of the NHL-sized rinks has seating for about 1,000 spectators; the other has a small viewing deck. The third rink has seating for just under 700 spectators. The Cube offers drop-in hockey and a variety of other drop-in leagues. Call ahead for public skating and men's and women's drop-in hockey hours. Public skating fees: \$4 adults, \$3 children (12 and under) and seniors (62 and over). Skate rental \$3, drop-in fee \$7. Call 213-1600, ext. 221, for more information. S

**Buhr Park**, 2751 Packard. 971-3228. Covered outdoor artificial regulation-sized rink, open November through March (depending on weather conditions). Heated lobby, snack bar, skate rental, lockers, and skate sharpening. Open skating times vary, so call ahead. Fees: \$3 adults, \$2.50 youths (17 and under) and seniors (60 and up). Season passes are available. S

**Veterans Memorial Park Ice Arena**, 2150 Jackson. 761-7240. Open October through May. Vets



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**Yost Ice Arena**, 1000 S. State. 764-4600. U-M's indoor regulation-sized rink provides skate rental (\$1.50), skate sharpening (\$4), and lockers. Public skating hours: (Sept.-Apr.) Mon.-Wed. & Fri. noon-1 p.m., Thurs. 8-10 p.m., non-football Sat. 2-4 p.m., non-hockey Sat. 7-9 p.m., Sun. 2-4 p.m.; (July-Aug.) Tues. 8-9:50 p.m., Fri. noon-12:50 p.m., Sat. 2-3:50 p.m. & 7-8:50 p.m., Sun. 2-3:50 p.m. Entry fees are currently \$4 for adults, \$3 for U-M and other students, and \$3.50 for U-M faculty and staff. Call for current information.

### IN-LINE SKATING

In-line skating (also called rollerblading) has many devotees in Ann Arbor. A favorite skating spot is Gallup Park, with its miles of off-road, smooth-surfaced bike trails. Buhr Park's rink is open during the summer months for in-line skating. Unlike skateboarding, in-line skating is not prohibited or restricted, except by a few local businesses. Three sport shops rent in-line skates: Ann Arbor Cyclery, 1224 Packard (761-2749); State Street Sports, 330 S. State (761-7615); and Sun & Snow Sports, 3990 Jackson Road (663-9515). Sun & Snow Sports' J.D. Jeffrey Arena (3990 Jackson, 997-RINK) is an indoor in-line skating rink offering regular in-line skating, in-line hockey leagues and camps, and lessons.

### MARTIAL ARTS

Martial arts classes are offered by the Ann Arbor YMCA (663-0536) year-round in tai chi, judo, aikido, karate, and choi kwang do for all levels, and self-defense classes. The YMCA also offers a **Karate Club** and a **Judo Club**. Rec & Ed (994-2300) provides instruction in aikido, tae kwon do, and tai chi throughout the year. The **U-Move program** (764-1342) sponsors beginning and advanced tae kwon do classes for students and nonstudents at the CCRB. See "Karate and other Martial Arts" in the Yellow Pages for a listing of private studios.

### ORIENTEERING

Orienteering is a sport in which participants navigate through unfamiliar landscapes, stopping at prescribed "control points." The **Southern Michigan Orienteering Club** (2677 Wayside, AA 48103; or call Bill Luitje at 769-7820) stages 10-12 orienteering meets a year. The club meets infrequently: "We'd rather do orienteering than hold meetings," says its president. Annual dues are \$8 (\$12 family), but nonmembers and beginners are welcome at meets and pay only a small event fee that varies depending on the course. Web: [www.angelfire.com/mi/SMOC](http://www.angelfire.com/mi/SMOC)

### RACQUETBALL

Racquetball/handball courts are available at several public facilities. The Ann Arbor YMCA (663-0536) has 2 courts open to members and their guests. The U-M's CCRB (936-0627) has 13 courts, the IMSB (763-3562) has 14 courts, and the NCRB (764-2117) has 4 courts. Hours vary with the semester, and courts are in high demand. Reservations are usually necessary except on challenge or open courts, which change players on the hour. Most private health clubs have racquetball courts for member use. (See Aerobics & Weight Training, p. 132.)

### RUNNING/JOGGING

The city's plentiful parkland, including long stretches of scenic riverfront pathway, yields miles of off-road running. Many Ann Arborites don't even have to leave their own neighborhoods to find prime jogging space: the city abounds in residential nooks and crannies secluded from traffic, including a surprising number of zealously preserved dirt roads.

Ann Arbor offers a variety of running clubs, stores, and events for both advanced and beginning

runners. The Ann Arbor Track Club (AATC) has become the major cohesive force for Ann Arbor's running population. AATC events include a weekly **Track Workout** on Tuesday evenings throughout the year, held at U-M's Ferry Field in good weather and at the U-M Track and Tennis Building during the winter. During the summer, the AATC holds **Tuesday night time trials** following the workout. For meet schedules and locations, call the AATC hotline at 663-9740 or pick up flyers at local running shops. The AATC also sponsors **beginning runners groups**, **race walking**, and a **youth program**, and offers training sessions during the fall, spring, and summer.

AATC membership also entitles runners to a yearly picnic, seasonal meetings, a newsletter, and discounts at area running events and sports stores. Membership costs \$20 a year (\$30 family, \$15 student). For more information, write to the Ann Arbor Track Club, P.O. Box 7551, AA 48107, or call the hotline, 663-9740, or fax 663-0124.

The Ann Arbor YMCA (663-0536) has information on running and walking clubs with a variety of routes and times to meet. Call for information.

The **Ann Arbor Hash House Harriers**, 700 Linda Vista, AA 48103, emphasize creatively planned running events that runners of all abilities can enjoy. The Harriers model their runs after British fox or rabbit hunts, with a "hare" marking the trail (usually in white or colored flour) that the other members ("hounds") follow. "Turtle checks" are waiting points, often supplied with beer and refreshments, which allow slower runners to catch up. For information, call the Hash Hotline, (313) 332-9314.

For more information on area running events and organizations, contact the Ann Arbor Track Club or one of Ann Arbor's two complete running centers: **Tortoise and Hare**, 209 E. Liberty, 769-9510; or **Running Fit**, 123 E. Liberty, 769-5016.

For running in the winter or during inclement weather, the U-M has **indoor tracks** at the CCRB (763-3084) and the NCRB (763-4560). The Washtenaw County Recreation Center (971-6337) has a two-lane indoor track available on a daily, all-day basis, except for a half-hour cleaning period. Call for current cleaning schedule. Fees: \$3 adults, \$1.50 seniors and children (ages 3-18).

### SKIING

Ann Arbor has several scenic cross-country ski trails. There is no charge to ski the ungroomed trails at Bird Hills Park, Gallup Park, Buhr Park, Dolph Park, Saginaw Forest, Leslie Park Golf Course, and Fuller Park. See the map on p. 131 for park locations. For downhill skiing, the Ann Arbor Ski Club (see below) plans outings near and far.

**Huron Hills Cross-Country Ski Center**, 3465 E. Huron River Dr. 971-6840. Open December through early March, weather permitting, this ski area (a city golf course in summer) has groomed trails of varying skill levels, equipment rentals, ski classes, a clubhouse, and a snack bar. Entry fee: \$2.50 weekdays, \$3 weekends & holidays for those with their own skis. Season passes are available. Ski rental (includes admission): \$6 weekdays, \$7 weekends. Youths under 17 and seniors over 60 pay \$3.75 on weekdays and \$4.75 on weekends & holidays. Mon.-Fri. 10 a.m.-6 p.m., weekends & holidays 9 a.m.-7 p.m. S Prices subject to change.

**Ann Arbor Ski Club**, P.O. Box 3258, AA 48106. Hotline info: 761-3419. Plans Michigan and western U.S. ski trips for cross-country and downhill skiers over age 21. The club also provides lesson information and hosts social, athletic, and recreational events throughout the year, including summer. Regular meetings are held September through May. Call the hotline for times, location, and dues.

### SLEDDING & TOBOGGANING

For a Midwestern city, Ann Arbor has great sledding hills. Bundle up and head out (but don't go head first—it's dangerous). Sledding can be done wherever there is a worthy hill, but the Department of Parks and Recreation recommends these sites: Buhr Park, Burns Park, Huron Hills Golf Course (please stay off golf greens and tees), Leslie Park, Leslie Park Golf Course, and Veterans Memorial Park. All sites are unsupervised; individuals sled at their own risk. Sledding is prohibited in the U-M Arboretum.

### SWIMMING

Ann Arbor's public swimming pools are popular during the summer. The three outdoor pools, all built in 1967, are open from Memorial Day weekend to

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labor Day. Admission fees are charged; see each pool. There is no charge for children under three, and reduced rates for families are available at each pool at specific times. Season passes are available at the Department of Parks and Recreation on City Hall's sixth floor, at Mack Pool, and at other pools over Memorial Day weekend.

**Ann Arbor YMCA**, 350 S. Fifth Ave. 663-0536. 25-yard pool with four lanes, a shallow, warm training pool for kids and arthritic swimmers, locker rooms, and a snack bar. Open swim hours vary daily. Members only. Nonmembers can take swim instruction, aquatic fitness, or older adult classes, offered year-round; \$5 day passes are also available. S

**Buhr Pool**, 2751 Packard. 971-3228. Buhr is a 25-yard pool with five training lanes, a wading pool, a swimming deck, locker rooms, and a snack bar. Fees: adults (ages 18-59) \$2, youths & seniors \$1.25. From Memorial Day weekend to the end of school in June, and from mid-August to Labor Day, the general public can swim weekdays 1-7 p.m., weekends & holidays noon-7 p.m. From the end of school through mid-August, the general public swims are extended until 8 p.m., but they're interrupted from 5 to 6:30 p.m. weekdays for family swims. Adult length swim: weekdays noon-1 p.m. S

**Fuller Pool**, 1519 Fuller. 994-4263. Fuller is the largest pool in town, with 50-meter Olympic lap lanes available all day. New renovations for 1997 include a water slide, full handicapped accessibility, water spray jets in the children's pool, and new locker room and concession facilities. Fuller also has two sand volleyball courts, sun decks, a shaded poolside area, and a day camp. Mixer Playground is next door. Fees: adults (ages 18-59) \$3, youths and seniors \$2.50. Mon.-Thurs. 10 a.m.-7 p.m., Fri. noon-7 p.m., Sat. & Sun. 11 a.m.-7 p.m. Call for special program times. S

**Mack Pool**, 715 Brooks (in Mack School). 994-2898. Mack is a 25-yard indoor pool with six training lanes. The pool has a handicapped access ramp and locker rooms. From September to the end of the school year, daytime hours are reserved for scheduled classes (no drop-in swimming). Open swim hours vary, so call for current information. Fees from mid-June to early September: adults (ages 18-59) \$2, youths and seniors \$1.25. From early September to mid-June, adults (ages 18-59) \$2.50, youths and seniors \$1.50. From the end of the school year to Labor Day: open swim daily 1-5:30 p.m. Lap lanes available daily noon-1 p.m. & 5:30-6:30 p.m. S

**Veterans Memorial Park Pool**, 2150 Jackson. 761-7240. Vets Park Pool has a 25-yard pool with four lanes, a sun deck, a shaded deck area, an exercise room, locker rooms, a snack bar, a zero-depth pool and interactive water play area for children, and a 125-foot water slide. The pool has a handicapped access ramp. Fees: adults (ages 18-59) \$3, youths and seniors \$2.50. Open from Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day. General public swim: Mon.-Fri. 1-7 p.m. (until 9 p.m. in July), weekends & holidays noon-7 p.m. (until 9 p.m. in July). Adult lap swim: Mon.-Fri. noon-1 p.m. Family swim: daily 5-6:30 p.m. S

**Washtenaw County Recreation Center**, 2960 Washtenaw at Platt. 971-6337. The center has a 25-yard indoor pool. It offers lane swimming, a wheelchair ramp into the water, and an underwater bench in the whirlpool area. Fees: adults (ages 18-62) \$3, youths and seniors \$1.50. Swimming instruction and aquatic fitness classes available. Year-round facility passes are also available. S

The U-M has three pools open to students, faculty, staff, and user-pass holders. The CCRB's Margaret Bell Pool (763-3084) is 25 yards long with six training lanes and locker rooms. The NCRB pool (763-4560) is 25 yards long with at least four training lanes plus locker rooms and a sunning deck. The IMSB pool (763-3562) is 25 yards long, has six lanes (including four training lanes), plus locker rooms. Hours of each pool vary with the semester. The

**U-Move program** (764-1342) sponsors swimming instruction and aquatic fitness classes.

**Rec & Ed** (994-2300) offers classes year-round for all ages. Classes are offered weeknights and Saturdays (also weekdays during the summer).

## TENNIS

The Ann Arbor city parks, public schools, and the U-M all have tennis courts available. The courts are free for public use when they are not occupied by classes or tournaments. The courts operate on a first-come, first-served basis. Unless otherwise noted, courts are not lighted.

Three of the busiest and largest concentrations of courts are at Huron High, 2727 Fuller, 994-2076 (7 courts); Pioneer High, 601 W. Stadium, 994-2120 (5 courts); and the CCRB, 401 Washtenaw, 763-3084 (16 courts). The CCRB courts, which are just north of the building at Palmer Field, are open to U-M user-pass holders and their guests.

The lighted courts in town include four at Fuller Park, two at Buhr Park, three at Vets Park, and two at South Maple Park. See the parks map on p. 131.

**Rec & Ed** (994-2300) offers instructional tennis for ages 7-adult during the fall and spring and for ages 5-adult in the summer. Tennis leagues and adult and junior tournaments are also available during the summer months.

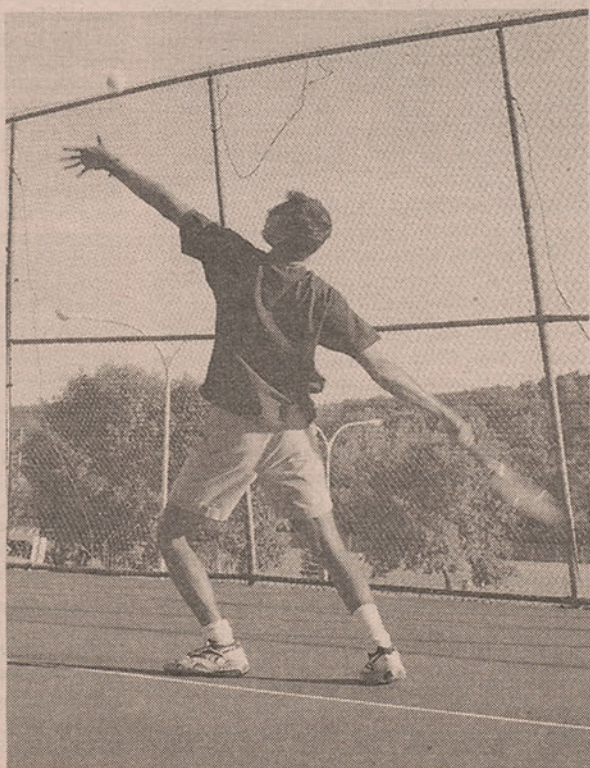
People who want to play tennis in the winter or year-round during inclement weather can join one of several indoor tennis clubs in the area. These clubs have rosters of tennis pros who can be hired for private and group lessons, and most also offer outdoor courts for summer play. Membership prices vary and change frequently, so call each club for details.

**Tennis clubs** include: the Huron Valley Tennis Club, 3235 Cherry Hill Rd. (662-5514); Liberty Sports Complex, 2975 W. Liberty Rd. (665-3738); Chippewa Racquet Club, 2525 Golfside Dr. (434-6100); Racquet Club of Ann Arbor, 3210 E. Huron River Dr. (971-5413); and Travis Pointe Country Club, 2829 Travis Pointe Rd. (665-8463).

## YOGA

The yoga classes offered at the YMCA (663-0536) have made Ann Arbor something of a national center for the study of the B. K. S. Iyengar technique. In addition to Levels I, II, and III, there are classes in ageless yoga, yoga philosophy, yoga for pregnancy, and special workshops. Call for schedule and fees. **Rec & Ed** (994-2300) also offers yoga classes year-round at Stone and Lakewood schools. Call for schedule and fees.

**One-on-One Athletic Club** (761-4440) offers a yoga class, as do many private instructors. The **U-Move program** (764-1342) offers a yoga class open to people of any age and physical condition that allows participants to progress at their own pace. Call for current class schedule and fees. ■



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# CLUBS & CLASSES

*Ann Arbor has an overwhelming number of organizations to join and classes to take. They range from the general to the highly specialized and include everyone from singing seniors to Internet navigators to political activists.*

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## CLASS RESOURCES

Two groups, the Ann Arbor YMCA and the Community Education and Recreation Department of the Ann Arbor Public Schools, offer many adult classes.

**Ann Arbor YMCA**, 350 S. Fifth Ave. 663-0536. Classes in CPR, pre- and postnatal fitness, yoga, dance, and many other subjects. Brochures specifying times and fees are mailed to members and anyone else on the mailing list before each seven-week session. Fees vary according to the number of class sessions per week; discounts for YMCA members.

**Community Education and Recreation**, 2675 Boardwalk. 994-2300. Classes in art, business and finance, computers, cooking, crafts, dance, drama, health, juggling, languages, martial arts, music, science and outdoors, swimming, tennis, yoga, and more. "Rec & Ed" schedule brochures are inserted into the *Ann Arbor News* in March for spring programs, mid-May for summer, late August for fall, and early January for winter; they are also available at the Ann Arbor District Library, City Hall, and at public schools. Fees vary.

Other classes are listed here under individual interest headings. Only a few exercise classes are listed; for additional exercise classes or recreational sports, see Recreation, p. 129. For information on public and private schools and children's activities, see Children, p. 75.

## BUSINESS

**American Business Women's Association**. Nonprofit networking agency for working women. Offers seminars, scholarships, and social events. Two Ann Arbor chapters: Embers (contact Jodi Geeting, 741-5858) and Maia (contact Pat Durston, 662-1766). Embers meets third Wed. 6 p.m., Weber's Inn, 3050 Jackson. Maia meets third Tues. 5:30 p.m., Holiday Inn North, 3600 Plymouth. Annual dues: national \$27-\$30; Embers \$12 plus \$15/meeting (includes dinner); Maia \$18 plus \$14.50/meeting (includes dinner). Reservations required for both groups.

**Ann Arbor Area Chamber of Commerce**, 425 S. Main. 665-4433. Corporate and individual members promote economic growth and provide business sup-

port services through monthly networking sessions, seminars, and monitoring of legislation that affects local business. Publishes *Ann Arbor Regional Business-to-Business* (see Media, p. 187). Annual dues: \$154/individual; company dues based on number of employees. E-mail: aaacc@chamber.ann-arbor.mi.us

**National Association of Retired Federal Employees (NARFE)**. Call Frank Baldwin, 434-9812. Washtenaw County chapter of national organization open to all retired federal employees and their spouses. Meets second Mon. for noon lunch and 1 p.m. program, Elks Club, 325 W. Eisenhower. Call for dues and further information.

**New Enterprise Forum**, 425 S. Main. 665-4433. Forum for entrepreneurs and potential investors to meet, share ideas, and make business contacts. Meets third Thurs. 5:30-7 p.m. (registration 5 p.m.), Holiday Inn North, 3600 Plymouth. Meeting sessions free to members, \$15 for nonmembers. Annual membership fee: \$300/corporate, \$100/individual.

**Rotary**. International service organization comprised of community, business, professional, and educational leaders. Three local clubs: Ann Arbor Rotary Downtown, P.O. Box 3674 (call Jed Jacobson, 936-1128, fax: 647-9029); Ann Arbor-Briarwood Rotary (call Melissa Tuck, 763-4428); Ann Arbor North Rotary (call Donald Broderick, 439-7020, 439-3467). Call for meeting times and dues.

**SCORE (Service Corps of Retired Executives)**, 425 S. Main, Suite 103. 665-4433. Members provide free and confidential counseling to entrepreneurs, commercial firms, and nonprofit organizations. Sponsored by the federal Small Business Administration. Hours by appointment Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

**Women Business Owners of Southeastern Michigan**, P.O. Box 2243, AA 48106. Call Monica Milla, 944-2133. Nonprofit networking group for women entrepreneurs interested in the exchange of ideas for professional growth. Meets first Tues. 6:30 p.m. (networking and 7 p.m. program), first floor, 777 Building, corner of State and Eisenhower. Meetings free to members, \$10 nonmembers. Annual dues: \$36.

## ECOLOGY

**Huron River Watershed Council**, NEW Center, 1100 N. Main, Suite 210. 769-5123. Volunteers and professionals monitor and protect the Huron River. Services include educational assistance and a library with local land and water use studies, slide shows, and maps. Quarterly meeting. Annual dues: \$25.

**Potawatomi Land Trust**, P.O. Box 130122, AA 48113. 426-3669. Works to protect farmland, natural areas, and open space in Washtenaw County by negotiating permanent deed restrictions with private land owners and by acquiring land outright as nature preserves. Also promotes education through newsletters, brochures, and slide shows. Provides property evaluation and tax benefit information. Annual dues: \$25. E-mail: ai644@detroit.freenet.org

**Rainforest Action Movement**, Perry Bldg., 330 Packard, Rm. SB 26B. Community and U-M volunteer group working to educate the public about rain forests to prevent their destruction. Publishes occasional newsletter, *Tropical Echoes*. Meets weekly Sept.-May. No dues.

**Sierra Club—Huron Valley Group**. 996-5656. Local branch of national organization of people interested in outdoor activities, environmental action, and conservation. Local activities include backpacking, canoeing, hiking, camping, cross-country skiing, and bicycling. A conservation committee works on forestry, urban sprawl, and clean air and water issues. Meets third Tues. 7:30 p.m. (free), U-M

Matthaei Botanical Gardens, 1800 N. Dixboro. Annual dues: \$35 (national). Membership not required to participate in local activities.

**Washtenaw Audubon Society**. Call Sherry Smith, 994-6287. Presents speakers and slide shows on birds and natural history, with emphasis on the local area. Sponsors field trips and publishes a bimonthly newsletter. Meets third Wed. 7:30 p.m. (except Aug. and Dec.), U-M Matthaei Botanical Gardens, 1800 N. Dixboro. Annual dues: \$10-\$20. S

**Waterloo Natural History Association**. 475-3170. Membership supports natural history programs for school groups and the general public at the Eddy Geology Center in the Waterloo Recreation Area. Association also raises funds to improve this beautiful rustic area and coordinates volunteers who assist with trail upkeep and operate an on-site bookstore. Sponsors a biannual Maple Sugar Festival, a Rock and Mineral Fair, and weekly walks and presentations. Annual dues: \$5-\$20.

## EDUCATION & HISTORY

### CLUBS

**American Association of University Women—Ann Arbor**. Call Judy Steeh, 973-6287. Women college graduates who promote education and equity for women through advocacy and scholarships. Study groups and annual fund-raising book drive and sale. Meets third Thurs., Women's City Club, 1830 Washtenaw. Annual dues: \$55. The 1997 book sale will be held Sept. 12-14 at Concordia College, 4040 Geddes Rd.

**Anthroposophical Society in America**, 1923 Geddes Ave. A nonprofit corporation founded by Rudolf Steiner in 1923 as "an association of people who would foster the life of the soul, both in the individual and in human society, on the basis of a true knowledge of the spiritual world." Call (313) 662-9355 for information and events.

**Genealogy Society of Washtenaw County**, P.O. Box 7155, AA 48107. Call Marcia McCrary, 434-2799. Members trace their family histories and work to preserve county family history. Publishes *Family History Capers* quarterly. Meets fourth Sun. Sept.-May (except Dec.), Washtenaw Community College. Annual dues: \$12-\$25 (includes journal). S

**Jewish Historical Society of Washtenaw County**, 2939 Birch Hollow. 677-0100. Volunteer organization dedicated to the collection and preservation of documents, photographs, and artifacts relevant to Jewish history in Washtenaw County. Sponsors speakers, workshops, and seminars. Open to all. No dues.

**Netherlands-America University League**, P.O. Box 4592, AA 48106. Call Ton Broos, 764-5370 or 994-9276. Nonprofit group interested in the social and cultural life of the Netherlands. Sponsors cultural activities and works to develop academic, scientific, and cultural exchange programs. Events include lectures, musical performances, and an annual St. Nicholas party. Annual dues: \$7.50-\$25 (includes newsletter). S E-mail: tonbroos@umich.edu

**U-M Science Research Club**. 761-4320. Two speakers on a wide range of science and engineering-related topics at each meeting. Annual April banquet. Meets first Tues. 7:30 p.m. (Oct.-Apr.), Dental School, Rm. G378. Annual dues: \$5.

**Washtenaw County Historical Society**, P.O. Box 3336, AA 48106. Call Susan Wineberg, 662-9092. Offers programs on subjects of historical interest and sponsors annual June bus tour to a historical site. Meets third Sun. 2 p.m. (Sept.-Apr., except Jan.), various sites. Annual dues: \$10-\$25. S

**Women of the University Faculty**. 761-4320. For women who hold U-M faculty appointments, and librarians of higher rank (retirees also welcome). Meets twice yearly for dinner and lectures by U-M professors. Guests welcome; call for location.

### CLASSES

**American Red Cross**, 2729 Packard. 971-5300. Disaster relief organization offers courses in CPR, first aid, and water safety, as well as premarital health classes (required for a marriage license) and training for HIV/AIDS educators.

**Bryant Neighborhood Education Series**, Bryant Community Center, 3 W. Eden Ct. 994-2720. Workshops and seminars on issues such as substance abuse, domestic violence, and health care. Meets regularly, Fri. 9:30 a.m. Call the center for dates and topics to be discussed.

## FELLOWSHIPS & SERVICES

**Ann Arbor Civitan**. Call Julie Kearney, 662-4630 or Paul Richmond, (313) 498-3589. Men and women working to improve Ann Arbor through community projects. Focuses on the mentally and physically handicapped; helps with Special Olympics. Meets second & fourth Tues. 6:30-8:30 p.m. Annual dues: \$40-\$60 (\$25 to join).

**Ann Arbor Jaycees**. 913-9629. Organization of men and women ages 21-39 interested in personal growth, socializing, leadership training, and community service. Sponsors holiday food baskets, the annual Fourth of July parade, a summer carnival, children's car-seat rental program, the Spring Gallery Run, and other community projects. Social projects include the Winter Beach Party and annual canoe and ski trips. Meets first Thurs. 7:30 p.m., Washtenaw Community College Morris J. Lawrence Bldg., Rm. 101. Annual dues: \$45 (\$55 first year). Web: www.a2jaycees.com E-mail: tma2jaycees@aol.com

**Ann Arbor Masonic Temple**, 2875 W. Liberty. 662-1613. Home to the **Golden Rule Lodge No. 159** and the **Ann Arbor Fraternity No. 262**, fraternal organizations that support the Juvenile Diabetes Foundation and other charitable causes and provide scholarships for area high school students. Call for meeting times and dues.

**Architects' Action Network**. Call Maggie McInnis, 663-5888. Organization open to anyone with an interest or experience in architecture, landscape, or design. Works on various community projects, including building homes and producing a local TV show, and offers volunteering opportunities. Meets second Wed. 6 p.m., Gypsy Cafe, 214 N. Fourth Ave. No dues.

**Elks Lodge 325**, 325 W. Eisenhower. 668-6663. Charitable organization for men and women supports causes such as the Michigan Crippled Children's Fund. Bimonthly meetings for members. Bldg. go, Sun. 1 p.m. year-round. Open to everyone. Annual dues: \$69.

**Elks Pratt Lodge**, 220 Sunset. 761-7172, or call exalted ruler Jim Crawford, 662-0800. Charitable organization supports causes such as the Kidney Foundation and provides services to seniors and the physically and mentally challenged. Sponsors the Department of Special People, which provides support for severely handicapped children and takes them and their families to annual national convention. Meets second & fourth Sun. 4 p.m.; women (as members of Daisy Chain Temple) meet first Sun. & third Sat. 4 p.m. Annual dues of \$125 include national newsletter.

**Exchange Club of Ann Arbor**. Call Harold Kooys, 971-1815. Service club works on civic improvement programs for youth. Sponsors the annual Southeastern Michigan Science Fair, as well as crime prevention programs and freedom shrines displaying copies of important national historical documents. Meets every Mon. 6:10-8 p.m. (July & Aug. every other Mon.), for dinner and speaker, Weber's Inn, 3050 Jackson. Dues: \$85/quarter (includes dinner).

**Fraternal Order of Eagles**, 7530 Jackson. 426-3402. Members meet to socialize and work on charitable projects, including the Jimmy Durante Health Fund and the Muscular Dystrophy Association. For men and women 18 and older (women participate in separate auxiliary). Men meet first & third Wed. 7:30 p.m. Women meet second & fourth Wed. 7:30 p.m. Annual dues: \$24 men, \$15 women.

**Friends of the Ann Arbor District Library**, 343 S. Fifth Ave. 327-4200. Nonprofit organization promoting growth and development of the district library. Volunteers staff the Friends Bookshop, deliver books to the homebound, tutor in a literacy project, assemble mailings, and assist where needed. Membership: \$10-\$100.

**Hadassah**, P.O. Box 1734, AA 48106. Call Beverly Gershowitz, 665-6448. Organization of Jewish



Women holds educational meetings, lobbies on the national level in support of Israel and women's issues, sponsors fund-raisers, and runs a daytime study group and evening bridge and mah-jongg. Fund-raisers include the popular Chocolate Extravaganza. Chapter meets fourth Tues. 8 p.m. Simcha, for young women, meets third Tues. 8 p.m. Also, a special interest group for members who are nurses. Call for meeting information. Forty-Something, an interest group within the Chapter, meets about four times a year (call Maxine Solvay, 668-1901). Annual dues: \$25 (\$250 lifetime).

**League of Ann Arbor**, P.O. Box 7704, AA 48107. 996-8818. Organization of women committed to promoting volunteerism and helping the community through various service and fund-raising projects. Meets second Tues. 7:30 p.m. Sept.-May. Call for location. Annual dues: \$95.

**Swanias**. Service club open to all men and women. AA clubs: Downtown (Ulrich Stoll, 662-7766), Eastern (Jim Blow, 995-1816), Southeastern (Ralph Schmuckal, 483-3890), Western (Paul Herndon, 665-0737), Briarwood/Pittsfield (Pat Hentz, 661-3456), and Ann Arbor Golden K (Sophia Farah, 665-0063). Annual dues: \$90-\$110.

**Blind Club**. 663-6320. Local branches of world's largest service organization, primarily serving the blind and deaf. Supports Seeing Eye dog program, exams, hearing aids, and more. Sunrise Club meets second & fourth Thurs. 7:30 a.m., Marriott (Ypsilanti); Host Lions Club meets every Tues. noon, Weber's Inn, 3050 Jackson; Evening Lions Club meets second & fourth Tues. 6:30 p.m., Colonial Lanes, 1950 South Industrial.

**Royal Order of Moose**, 410 S. Maple. 662-1702, 662-2148. Fraternal organization provides homes

for the elderly and youths and is active in community projects such as adopt-a-highway, the Ann Arbor Police Department D.A.R.E. program, and raising money to fight muscular dystrophy. For men and women 21 and older (women participate in separate auxiliary). Men meet second & fourth Tues. 8 p.m.; women meet first & third Tues. 7:30 p.m. Annual dues: \$35 (\$20 enrollment fee).

**Marine Corps League**, P.O. Box 2523, AA 48106. Call John Hancock, 769-8169. Current and former Marines organize various community projects, including bingo at the VA Hospital once a month. Meets last Thurs. 7:30 p.m., Domino's Farms, 24 Frank Lloyd Wright Dr. Annual dues: \$22 (includes newsletter). E-mail: mcl414@aol.com

**Notre Dame Club of Ann Arbor**, P.O. Box 3738, AA 48106. Call Frank Visovatti, 481-5516. Friends of the University of Notre Dame organize social events and service projects to support the Domestic Violence Project/SAFE House, Washtenaw County's Christmas in April, and scholarships for Notre Dame students. Annual dues: \$25; seniors \$15; free membership for new Notre Dame grads and full-time graduate students. Call for meeting time and further information. S

**Optimist Club**. Establishes programs for Ann Arbor youth. Three AA clubs: Breakfast club meets Wed. 7:15 a.m. Call Harry Hawkins, 761-3100. Annual dues: \$60 (\$18-\$25 to join). Noon club meets Tues. noon. Call Robert Pace, 662-7010. Annual dues: \$76 (\$25 to join). Both clubs meet at CUBS' AC in Colonial Lanes, 1950 South Industrial. Pittsfield Twp. club meets Thurs. 7:15 a.m. Call Michael Morehouse, 677-2552. Dues: \$75 (\$35 to join). Club meets at the Red Bull restaurant (corner of Hogback and Washtenaw).

**Professional Volunteer Corps**, P.O. Box 7842, AA 48107. 747-6801. Singles age 25 and older dedicated to community service. Provides volunteer support for nonprofit arts, social service, and environmental organizations. Meets third Fri. 7:30 p.m. (new member orientation 7 p.m.), NEW Center, 1100 N. Main St. Annual dues: \$30.

## HOBBIES, GAMES, & SPECIAL INTERESTS

### CLUBS

**Ann Arbor Art Center**, 117 W. Liberty. 994-8004. This nonprofit community visual arts center offers classes, lectures, workshops, tours, ArtVentures drop-in art activity center, and exhibits. Operates its own gallery. Members receive discounts on classes, gallery purchases, and supplies at local art stores. Membership fees: \$15-\$99. Membership not required to participate. S

**Ann Arbor Bonsai Society**. 475-7277. For anyone, regardless of expertise, interested in growing dwarf trees. Guest demonstrations, classes and workshops, and an annual auction. Meets fourth Wed. 7:30 p.m. (with exceptions), U-M Matthaei Botanical Gardens, 1800 N. Dixboro. Annual dues: \$20.

**Ann Arbor Brewers' Guild**. Call Jeff Renner, 665-5805, or Rolf Wucherer, 662-8476. Promotes education about and appreciation of home-brewed beers. Monthly newsletter. Meets monthly. Annual dues: \$15. E-mail: spencer@umich.edu

**Ann Arbor Bridge Club**. Call Bob Simrak, 665-3805, or just show up. Affiliated with American

Contract Bridge League; all skill levels welcome. Meets every Wed. 7 p.m., Walden Hills Clubhouse, 2114 Pauline between Maple and Stadium. Fees: \$3.50, students \$2. E-mail: simrakb@bignet.net

**Ann Arbor Cage Bird Club**. 483-BIRD. Promotes education about cage birds and shares information on nutrition, care, and breeding. Meets second Mon. 7 p.m., Christian Reformed Church, 1717 Broadway. Call for annual dues.

**Ann Arbor Camera Club**. Call Howard Bond, 665-6597, or Eunice Burns, 663-3763. Beginners and pros share information and expertise; annual slide and print competition. Meets first & third Tues. 7:30 p.m., Sept.-June, Forsythe Middle School, 1655 Newport. Visitors welcome. Annual picnic in June. Annual dues: \$10.

**Ann Arbor Dog Training Club**, 1575 E. North Territorial. 995-2801. For people over 16 interested in competitive or household obedience training for their dogs. Offers basic and advanced classes; sponsors obedience trials. Class fees vary.

**Ann Arbor Fiberarts Guild**. Call Kathy Scott, 761-1692. Local nonprofit organization of people interested in textile arts. Offers workshops, lectures, critique sessions, and exhibitions. Annual sales at U-M Matthaei Botanical Gardens, the summer art fairs, and other locations. Meets second Tues. 6:45 p.m., Sept.-May (except for the first meeting in Sept.; call for location), Zion Lutheran Church, 1501 W. Liberty. Annual dues: \$20 (includes newsletter).

**Ann Arbor Garden Club**. Call Nancy Lee Hewens, 662-7211. Members discuss home gardening and floral design and care for the perennial gardens at U-M Matthaei Botanical Gardens and the High Point Center. Affiliated with Federated Garden Clubs of

## bagpiping

## The swift rise of the Ann Arbor Highlanders

### From Allen Elementary to the World Pipe Band Championships

In the spring of 1993, the Ann Arbor Highlanders performed their first public bagpipe concert, at Allen Elementary School. In 1995 they competed for the first time. In June 1996 the band took first place in a bagpipe competition at the Highland Games in Chicago. In July 1997 the four-year-old group was rehearsing intently for their biggest gig yet: an August trip to Scotland to compete in the World Pipe Band Championships.

It's been a fast climb for the Highlanders. The nine pipers and five drummers, an eclectic mix of ages and abilities, say they have a special synergy as a band that permits them to play better together than many of them play individually.

The Scottish bagpipe is an outdoor instrument, and the Highlanders play outside as much as possible. Chatting with them during breaks in a rehearsal at County Farm Park, I learn that a majority of them have things Scottish lurking in their backgrounds and that most of them originally played another instrument. All say they prefer the bagpipe because it is so challenging to play well.

One of the oldest known musical instruments, the bagpipes are also "one of the toughest," explains Highlander Eric Smith, a former school music teacher and lifelong trumpet player. "So many things can go wrong."



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Lynne Gulick concurs. "I thought I could never play bagpipes," she says. "They are more difficult than violin and piano." Gulick says she persisted because of "the lure of the pipes—it is an instrument I feel connected to."

Musically, the Highlanders are firmly rooted in the Scottish bagpipe tradition. Socially, they're somewhat innovative because the band includes women (historically, pipe bands have been all-male). Piper and band manager Jim Belcher says he's glad to have women in the band and likes the fact that they "make a point of

including families in their activities."

Amazingly, the Highlanders' pipe major, its music director, is just eighteen years old. Aaron Jentzen, a musical wunderkind from Ypsilanti, convinced his parents to let him take up the pipes when he was ten. Like most other members of the Highlanders, Jentzen learned to play bagpipes from retired Ann Arbor physician Robert Lovell. He also studied with Barry Ewen, a top-notch Windsor bagpiper from Scotland, and apprenticed with the highly regarded City of Detroit Pipe Band.

As Jentzen speaks to the Highlanders at the end of their rehearsal, his poise and maturity are impressive. He obviously commands the respect of his fellow band members, most of whom are old enough to be his parents. Drummer Dave Whelan says Jentzen "has the drive—and incredible interest and enthusiasm for bagpipes."

Jentzen is not the youngest Highlander, however. That honor goes to sixteen-year-old Donald Wilson. Now a Willow Run High School student, Wilson has played bagpipes since he was seven.

—Penny Schreiber



# CLUBS & CLASSES

**Mich.** Meets second Wed., Sept.-May. Call for times. Annual dues: \$20.

**Ann Arbor Homeopathic Study Group.** Call Bob Riske, (313) 878-5185. Affiliated with the National Center for Homeopathy, this lay group studies and promotes this alternative system of medicine. Members research topics and give presentations, share books, and buy remedies together. Meets monthly Sept.-June, 7 p.m. Call for location and day. Visitors welcome, but some experience of homeopathy is preferred.

**Ann Arbor Ikebana International.** Call Shu Yang, 995-0495. Organization dedicated to the traditional Japanese art of flower arranging. Meetings include demonstrations, workshops, and presentations. Usually meets second Fri. 1 p.m., Sept.-June, U-M Matthaei Botanical Gardens, 1800 N. Dixboro (call to confirm). Annual dues: \$42. Some evening workshops (fees vary). Guests welcome.

**Ann Arbor Kennel Club.** 484-5206. Association of people interested in purebred dogs and breeding. Geared for professional exhibitors and breeders. Gives information on breeds, sponsors dog and puppy shows, offers handling classes to the public (\$5) every Wed. 7:30 p.m., Ann Arbor Dog Training Club, 1575 E. North Territorial. Meets first Thurs. 7:30 p.m., Ann Arbor Airport Terminal Bldg., 801 Airport Dr. Annual dues: \$5 plus labor.

**Ann Arbor Knitters' Club.** Call Valerie Lalinsky, 971-0013. Knitters of all levels of experience meet to knit together and share techniques. Meets second & fourth Tues. 7 p.m., Brookhaven Retirement Community, 401 S. Oakbrook. No dues.

**Ann Arbor Orchid Society.** Harry Winter, 761-5859. An active society of amateur orchid growers. Meets monthly at the Matthaei Gardens. Meetings typically include feature program, display of orchids in bloom, and a raffle of orchids and related materials. Call for more information.

**Ann Arbor Playwrights.** P.O. Box 8403, AA 48107. Info line: 913-9749. Playwrights and screenwriters, directors, actors, and producers develop and present new scripts. A biennial festival of short plays is scheduled for fall 1997. Local actors present featured scripts on-stage and writers listen to audience feedback and suggestions in the House Blend Series of performances at the Gypsy Cafe, 214 N. Fourth Ave., biweekly Sun. at 7 p.m., Sept.-June. Call, or visit Web site schedule. Web: www.hvcn.org/info/aap/ E-mail: arborlaw@aol.com

**Ann Arbor Rabbit Breeders.** Call Carl Graham, (313) 439-1748. Club for people who raise rabbits for fun, food, and exhibition. Sponsors two or three shows per year, works intensively with 4-H. Meets third Wed. 7 p.m., various locations. Meetings are mandatory since education comes through hands-on experience. Call to confirm. New members welcome. Annual dues: \$5 and labor.

**Ann Arbor Ski Club.** P.O. Box 3258, AA 48106. Hotline: 761-3419. This athletic and social organization plans Michigan and western U.S. ski trips for cross-country and downhill skiers over age 21. Also provides lesson information and hosts social, athletic, and recreational events throughout the year. Meetings Sept.-May. Call for times, location, and dues.

**Ann Arbor Smocking Club.** Call Ann Whitney, 663-7867. Informal "sit 'n' stitch" gathering for women interested in hand-sewing. Meets monthly. Call for time and location. No dues.

**Ann Arbor Society 4 Origami.** Call Don Shall, 662-3394. For people of all ages interested in the ancient oriental art of paper folding. Just bring your fingers and a shoebox or bag. Meets third Thurs. 7-9:30 p.m., Slauson Middle School library, 1019 W. Washington. No dues, but donations welcome. E-mail: dshall@umich.edu

**Ann Arbor Stamp Club.** 761-5859. Beginning and experienced stamp collectors meet second Mon. Jan. & Feb., third Mon. Mar.-Oct., and first & fourth Mon. Nov., 7:30 p.m., Ann Arbor Salvation Army Citadel, 100 Arbana. Annual dues: \$5.

**Ann Arbor Train and Trolley Watchers.** Call Evan Garrett, 996-8345. Informal gathering of train lovers who show slides and photographs and watch trains in action. Meets third Fri. 8 p.m. (Jan.-May & Sept.-Nov.), St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, 306 N. Division. No dues.

**Arcadia Mixture.** Call Steve Landes, 769-7570, or Fred Page, 761-3556. Branch of the Baker Street Irregulars, the international Sherlock Holmes Society.

Meets monthly, call for location; annual banquet in May. Newsletter is *The Fluffy Ash*. Annual dues: \$10 (includes newsletter).

**Arrow Communication Association Amateur Radio Club.** 665-6616. Organization formed to promote interest in amateur ("ham") radio communication and to operate and maintain common equipment. Holds licensing classes and test sessions; provides communications during public events and emergencies. Meets second Wed., Clague Middle School, Rm. 136. Nonmembers welcome. Annual dues: \$20.

**Culinary Historians of Ann Arbor.** Call Julie Lewis, 662-9211. Open to anyone interested in culinary history and gastronomy. Meets third Sun. 7-9 p.m., Sept.-May, County Extension Service, 4133 Washtenaw (entrance on Hogback Rd.). Annual dues: \$15/individual, \$20/couple (includes newsletter).

**Embroiderers Guild.** 662-4981. Instruction and workshops for people with an interest in the needle arts. Meets third Mon. 6:45 p.m., Sept.-June, First Presbyterian Church, 1432 Washtenaw. Annual dues: \$30 (includes annual newsletter and *Needle Arts* magazine). E-mail: pjw@umich.edu

**Experimental Aircraft Association.** Call Dennis Horton, 971-1794. Local chapter of national organization for those interested in experimental and sport aviation. Meetings to discuss building and restoring aircraft and aviation techniques are second Thurs. 7:30 p.m. Call for location. Visitors welcome. Annual dues: \$35 national, \$12 chapter.

**Fishin' Friends.** Call Glen Williams, 665-6851. Comprised of a group of friendly folk—men and women, novices and experts—who like to fish. The club's main purposes are to fish, have a good time via camaraderie and conversation, learn more about fishing, and hold "fish clinics" for children who would like to learn how to fish. Meets third Thurs., Community Room, Michigan Group Realtors, 555 Briarwood Cir. Call for directions and time.

**Friends of Matthaei Botanical Gardens.** U-M Matthaei Botanical Gardens, 1800 N. Dixboro. Call 998-7061. Group interested in natural history, horticultural education, and environmental issues. Helps the gardens with public education and fund-raising. Annual dues: \$15-\$50.

**Great Lakes Lace Group International.** Call Kathleen Campbell, 483-5693. Group meets to study, discuss collecting, and practice the art of making lace by hand. Conference held every May (usually the third weekend).

**Greater Ann Arbor Quilt Guild.** Call Connie Guyer, 663-6883. A regional guild for quilt makers. Activities include lectures, workshops, and fund-raising for a local community group. Provides a quilt for every child who comes to Domestic Violence Project/SAFE House. Meets third Sat. of odd months and second Sat. in May, 9 a.m., Washtenaw Community College Morris J. Lawrence Bldg., 4800 Huron River Dr. Guests: \$7. Annual dues: \$25.

**GreX.** Call Dan Romanchik, 930-6564. Free-access computer system offering a wide range of discussion

areas covering topics from cooking to politics to Web page writing for people of all ages. Also offers minimal Internet access, including E-mail. There is no charge to use GreX, but frequent users are encouraged to become members and participate in cooperatively running the system. To connect, use a computer with a modem and dial 761-3000. Users meet at Gallup Park for a walk every Sat. 10:15 a.m. Web: www.cyberspace.org E-mail: info@cyberspace.org

**Huron Hills Lapidary and Mineral Society.** Call Jan Esch, 665-5574. Educational and recreational activities for people of any age interested in rocks and minerals—from geological formations to jewelry making. Field trips and newsletter. Meets first Thurs. 7:30 p.m., Sept.-May, West Side United Methodist Church, 900 S. Seventh St. Annual dues: \$10-\$16.

**Huron Valley Rocket Society.** Call Jim Fackert, (810) 231-3471. For anyone interested in model rocketry and space modeling, regardless of experience. Meets third Thurs. 6:30 p.m.; call for location. A workshop or rocket launch is held on the Sat. following the meeting. Publishes newsletter, *T Minus 5*. Annual dues: \$6-\$11.

**International Yan Xin Qigong Association.** 764-2182. Meets for discussion and practice of this Chinese form of meditation. Sun. 10:30 a.m.-noon, 1014 Herbert Dow Bldg., 2300 Hayward, North Campus. No fee.

**Jugglers of Ann Arbor.** Call Paul Kyprie, (313) 449-0999. For jugglers who want to meet others, share techniques, and do formation juggling. No formal classes; occasional performances and beginners' workshops. Meets Tues. & Fri. after 6 p.m., U-M Diag, weather permitting. During the school year (Sept.-mid-June) meets Tues. 7:30-10 p.m., Community High School gymnasium (certain exceptions apply). First-timers call ahead. May also call with any questions about juggling, such as where to purchase equipment. No fee.

**MacTechnics.** Call Cassie St. Clair, 971-8743. Networking organization for Macintosh computer users. Small groups representing more than a dozen special interests, including education, desktop publishing, Internet, Web page design, MacBasics, Newton, graphics, multimedia, games, and PowerUsers, meet to share tips and information. Meets third Sat. 9 a.m., Electrical Engineering/Computer Science Bldg., 1301 Beal, North Campus. Everyone welcome. Annual dues: \$20 (student, six-month trial), \$40 (new member), \$35 (renewal), \$7.50 (per person in a member family), \$100 (corporate). Web: www.mactech.org E-mail: mactech@umich.com

**Michigan Botanical Club, Huron Valley Chapter.** Call Roger Sutherland, 668-8568. For anyone with an interest in plants native to Michigan. Emphasis on outdoor plants in natural habitats. Field trips May-Aug. are free and open to the public. Meets third Mon. 7:45 p.m., Sept.-Apr. (except Dec.), U-M Matthaei Botanical Gardens, 1800 N. Dixboro. Guests welcome. Annual dues: \$20; students \$18 (includes chapter and state newsletters and journal, *The Michigan Botanist*).

**Old West Side Association.** Call Christine Brummer, 996-2564, or Barbara Murphy, 665-2343. Open to Old West Side residents and others interested in maintaining the historic character of the neighborhood, which has been designated a National Historic District. Sponsors a Homes Tour every September, a Children's Festival every May, and other neighborhood events; publishes the *Old West Side News*. Meets twice yearly, Bach School, 600 W. Jefferson. Annual dues: \$2-\$10.

**Rose Society of Huron Valley.** Call Sarah Hanif, 429-9609. For anyone interested in growing or exhibiting roses. Annual Rose Show on Father's Day. Meets second Sun. 2 p.m. (Nov. & Jan.-Apr.), second Tues. 7:30 p.m. (May-Oct.). No meetings Sept. (Rose Tour in Sept. replaces meeting) or Dec. Meets at U-M Matthaei Botanical Gardens, 1800 N. Dixboro. Annual dues: \$10.

**Scottish Association of Southeast Michigan.** Call Bill Kincaid, 973-1828. Group sponsors annual Burns Supper in January and other events steeped in Scottish culture. Maintains mailing list of Scottish-Americans living in the area.

**Shorinji Kempo.** 998-0940. Members meet weekly for noncompetitive practice of this Japanese self-defense system which combines hard and soft techniques with Zen philosophy. Meets Mon. 8:15-10:15 p.m. (People Dancing Studio, 111 Third St.), Thurs. 8 p.m. & Sun. 9-11 a.m. (Dance Gallery Studio, 111 Third St.). Monthly dues: \$25; first-time visitors free. E-mail: gdolce@mindspring.com

**Society for Creative Anachronism.** Call Charles Cohen, 913-0245. Weekend events re-create the Middle Ages with knights in armor, dancing, music, costumes, feasts, and the pageantry of the royal court. Meets Mon. 7 p.m. (workshop) and 8 p.m. (meeting), Electrical Engineering/Computer Science Bldg., Rm. 1311, 1301 Beal, U-M North Campus. E-mail: charles@umich.edu

**Toastmasters.** National organization in which members meet to give speeches for critique. Group's objective is to develop leadership skills and self-confidence while learning to speak and listen effectively. Three local branches: Ann Arbor Toastmasters meets Wed. 6:15-7:45 p.m., Concordia College, 4090 Geddes Rd. Free to visitors. Dues: \$24 semiannually. Huron Valley Toastmasters (663-1836) meets every Mon. 7 p.m., U-M Hospitals Cafeteria (preceded by optional dinner at 6:30 p.m.). Annual dues: \$46 (\$16 to join); and Washtenaw Toastmasters (call Debbie Neal, 973-9800) meets every Thurs. 7 p.m., 777 Eisenhower, in the cafeteria off the lobby. Guests welcome. Annual dues: \$48 (includes newsletter).

**Trout Unlimited.** 665-7610. Promotes both cold and warm-water fly fishing. Sponsors fishing trips locally and to northern Michigan. Meets third Wed. 7 p.m. (Oct.-May), Community High School. Call for brochure and further information.

**U-M Duplicate Bridge Club.** Call Chris Lahey, 764-5688 or 663-3977. All invited to play this tournament form of contract bridge, in which identical



Members of the Greater Ann Arbor Quilt Guild (Hobbies, Games, & Special Interests) show off their work.



...nd are played by every table in order to compare individual scores. Meets every Fri. 7:30 p.m., Michigan Union Tap Room. No dues, but \$2 fee (students \$1) per night. E-mail: clahey@umich.edu

**FLYERS**, 1075 Airport Dr., row P, Ann Arbor. Phone: 994-6208. Nonprofit group for anyone interested in learning to fly. Lessons available; planes available for rent by licensed members. Monthly dues: \$35 (does not include lessons or plane rental).

**University Lowbrow Astronomers**. Call Bernard Fiberg, 761-1875. (Events hotline: 480-4514.) Sponsors speakers on astronomy. Sat. evenings, before and after the new moon, the club invites the public to the Peach Mountain Observatory, west of Dexter, to learn about constellations and look through a 24-inch telescope (weather permitting). Children welcome. Meets third Fri. 7:30 p.m., Denison Bldg., Rm. 807, 501 East University. Annual dues: \$20/individual or family, \$12/student (includes newsletter). E-mail: Bs747@aol.com

**Washtenaw Ski Touring Group**, WSTC, P.O. Box 1181, AA 48106. 662-SKIS. Organizes week-end cross-country ski trips in northern Michigan and Ontario Dec.-Mar. Membership varies from \$10-200 people. Local skiing is arranged as conditions permit. In addition to the trips, a newsletter is available and free ski instruction is provided by several of the top skiers in the club. Meetings are open to the public and begin in late Oct. or early Nov. Meetings include presentations on cross-country skiing, information on club trips and an opportunity for pool arrangements. For meeting details see the monthly Observer events listings, or call or write. Web: www.hvcn.org/info/skiclub

**WASHTENAW ATARI USERS GROUP**. Call Craig Harvey, 971-8576. Open to all users of Windows, Atari and Macintosh computers. Meetings include demonstrations of new software, swap meets. Meets second Tues. 7:30-9:30 p.m., CUBS' 1C in Colonial Lanes, 1950 South Industrial. Guests welcome. Annual dues: \$15 (includes newsletter and software discount).

**Woman's National Farm and Garden Association—Ann Arbor Branch**. Call Terri Bartholomew, 971-7164. Ann Arbor branch of a national group that raises money for civic and academic projects and scholarships. Hosts two fund-raisers per year: Garden Walk in June and Greens and Gifts Market in Dec. Proceeds are donated to various community organizations and academic institutions, including U-M Matthaei Botanical Gardens, Frysinger Fellowship, Lady Aberdeen Scholarships, and Domestic Violence Project/SAFE House. Meets second Thurs., Sept.-June. Sponsorship required.

**CLASSES**

**Ann Arbor Art Center**, 117 W. Liberty. 994-8004. See listing under Clubs, above.

**Cooking Classes**. Offered locally by Community Education and Recreation (994-2300), the cook's equipment store Kitchen Port (665-9188), and the Melora Lowry School of Cooking (741-8098). Call for information.

**Crazy Wisdom Bookstore**, 206 N. Fourth Ave. 665-2757. Publishes the seasonal *Crazy Wisdom Calendar*, which lists local classes, lectures, workshops, and events for those seeking "psychological and spiritual growth and physical well-being." Subjects include holistic health, Buddhism, meditation, movement and dance, and music as well as interviews with local persons of authority on given subjects. Also publishes the annual *Health and Healing Resources in Ann Arbor*, a four-page directory to local alternative practitioners.

**Gardening and Outdoors Classes**, U-M Matthaei Botanical Gardens, 1800 N. Dixboro. Call Ellen Weatherbee, 998-7061. Adult Education Program offers classes year-round in botany, nature, hiking, gardening, and the environment. Brochures published spring and fall; call to have one mailed or pick one up at the gardens. Fees vary.

**Jewelry Classes**, Findings, 2366 E. Stadium (Lamp Post Plaza). 677-8420. Many types of beading and jewelry making are taught. Fees range from \$15 to \$60 and include materials for most classes. E-mail: findings@srvi.ic.net

**Pottery Classes**, Ann Arbor Potters Guild, 201 Hill. 663-4970. Fall and winter classes in both hand-building and throwing. Classes are open to anyone, but there is a lengthy waiting list. Call for fees. Membership is by invitation only. The Guild holds spring and Christmas sales and has a booth at the Street Art Fair.

**Self-Defense Classes** (see also Martial Arts in Recreation, p. 129). Many local private studios offer a wide variety of classes in martial arts; check the Yellow Pages.

**Shamanic Journeying Class**. "A gentle introduction to shamanic trance." Meets Wed. 7:30 p.m., ICC Education Center, 1522 Hill. For further information call John Morris, 665-3522.

**Washtenaw County MSU Extension**, 4133 Washtenaw. 971-0079. Offers programs in agriculture, horticulture, and natural resources for agricultural producers and home owners throughout the county. Master gardeners provide answers to gardening questions. Also available are programs in home economics. Call for details. E-mail: washtena@msue.msu.edu

## MUSIC, DANCE, & DRAMA

### CLUBS

**Academy of Early Music**. Call Norma Gentile, 332-4606. Umbrella organization for early-music performers, teachers, scholars, students, and enthusiasts. Sponsors concerts, master classes, workshops, research projects, informal house concerts, a local choir, and sight-reading sessions. Bimonthly newsletter. Board meets monthly, members welcome. Call for location and time. Annual dues: \$20/individual, \$15/student or senior. S

**American Guild of Organists**. Call Elgin Clingman, 668-6941. Local branch of a national organization open to everyone interested in organ and choral music. Meets monthly, gives recitals, publishes a monthly newsletter. Meeting locations and dues vary.

**Ann Arbor Ballroom Dance Club**. Call Lee Evans, 994-8596, or Janice Bates, 426-2746. Intermediate/advanced ballroom dances held one Sat. each month, 9-11:30 p.m., Sept.-June, lessons offered 8-9 p.m. Guests welcome (\$7/lesson, \$7/dance). No fee for members. Call for date and location.

**Ann Arbor Civic Band**. 994-2300, ext. 228. Sponsored by Community Education and Recreation and the Department of Parks and Recreation, this community band is made up of local musicians who enjoy the challenge of preparing public performances with minimum rehearsal time. Performs Wed. during summer at West Park band shell. No dues.

**Ann Arbor Civic Chorus**. 994-2300, ext. 228. Sponsored by Community Education and Recreation, this four-part chorus meets Mon. nights, Sept.-Apr. Varied repertoire. Fees vary.

**Ann Arbor Civic Theater**, 2275 Platt Rd. (south of Washtenaw). 971-AACT (971-2228). Call managing director Jay Pekala, 971-0605. This nonprofit community theater produces a wide variety of plays and musicals. Opportunities for all aspects of theater, from acting to directing to stagecraft.

**Ann Arbor Classical Guitar Society**. 769-5704. Classical guitar players and enthusiasts gather for conversation and solo and ensemble playing. Meets second Sun. 7 p.m. (Jan.-Apr., Oct., & Nov.), at home of society founders Brian and Mary Lou Roberts, 1451 Bemidji. Call ahead to confirm. No dues.

**Ann Arbor Council for Traditional Music and Dance**. Call Joan Hellmann, 769-1052. Sponsors a contra dance (square dancing done in lines) first Sat. (admission \$6). Also publishes a bimonthly dance calendar, and sponsors a dance hotline (913-2076) giving locations and times of contra and square dances in southern Michigan. Also sponsors an informal biweekly singing circle (folk, oldies, rock, etc.) open to people regardless of ability (call 665-7704 for location), and a biweekly English country dance (call hotline for location). E-mail: hellmann@umich.edu or ebogue@umich.edu

**Ann Arbor Folk Harp Society**. Call Jason Eyster, 475-2156. Folk and Celtic harp enthusiasts meet for conversation, to listen to recordings, and for solo and ensemble playing. Beginners welcome.

**Ann Arbor Highlanders**. Call Jim Belcher, (313) 783-4655. (See box, p. 137.) Competitive and performance Scottish bagpipe and drum band for men and women of all ages. Meets weekly throughout the year for rehearsal, performs year-round, and competes in the summer. Meets every Fri. 6:30 p.m. No beginners. No dues.

**Ann Arbor Morris and Sword Dance Team**. Call Jill Baker, 677-1498. Traditional English dance company appears locally and at fairs and festivals around the state. Meets for practice and rehearsal every Sun. 6-8 p.m. In summer, practice places vary, call for current location; in winter, meets at Gretchen's House V child care center, 2625 Traver Rd. Call ahead to confirm. No dues. E-mail: Gmeisner@cmsa.gmr.com or mohrc@umich.edu

**Ann Arbor Recorder Society**. Call Louise Piranian, 665-5758. Under a professional music director, lovers of recorder music play, informally or in recital, music from the early Renaissance to the present. Players of other Baroque instruments welcome. Sheet music provided. Meets first Mon. 7:30-9:30 p.m. (except July & Aug.; second Mon. in Sept.), band room, Forsythe Middle School, 1655 Newport. Annual dues: \$30.

**Ann Arbor Sacred Harp**. 747-9644. Singing group devoted to the practice and performance of shape

note singing, a form of communal hymn singing that has its roots in colonial America. All types of voices and levels of experience welcome. Meets second Sun. (except Aug.), the Ark, 316 S. Main. Call to confirm. No dues.

**Ann Arbor Young Actors Guild**, P.O. Box 130202, AA 48113-0202. 930-1614. A production company and resource for education through theater, in partnership with the Ann Arbor Public Schools and with the U-M Theater and Drama department. There are three resident companies: the **Lights Up Company** (age 15-adult), the **Pocket Company** for experimental works (age 15-adult), and the **Apprentice Company** (two levels for ages 8-13); as well as the **Fast Fable Company**, a traveling theater troupe for ages 7-12. Faculty includes accredited teachers in theater arts, university professors, and theater professionals. Classes, workshops, and full-scale productions in a variety of theatrical styles. Full summer program. Call for fees and schedules.

**Cobblestone Farm Country Dancers**. Call John Freeman, 662-3371. Performers of 1860s-1890s country dancing also offer a monthly contra dance (in-line square dancing), open to the public (\$6). Meets third Sat. 8 p.m., Pittsfield Grange, 3337 Ann Arbor-Saline Rd. (1/2 mile south of I-94). Beginners welcome; no partner necessary. No dues.

**County Connection Chorus of Sweet Adelines**, P.O. Box 970597, Ypsilanti 48197. Call Paula, 995-4110. Local chapter of an international organization for women who enjoy singing four-part harmony, a cappella music. For women of any musical experience level. No need to read music. Members participate in yearly regional competition and numerous performances throughout the year. Rehearses every Tues. 7:30 p.m., UAW Local 898 Union Hall, 8975 Textile, Ypsilanti.

**Dances of Universal Peace** (Sufi Dancing). Call John or Sylvia, 996-1332. Meditation and movement done to chants and songs from many of the world's religious traditions. Meets first & third Fri. 7-9 p.m., Ann Arbor Friends Meetinghouse, 1420 Hill. \$5 donation requested but not required.

**Drum Circle**. Novice and expert drummers meet to play hand percussion instruments and learn rhythms. Meets every Fri. 8-10 p.m., Gallup Park Rec Room, Huron Pkwy. at Fuller. Everyone is welcome. \$2 donation.

**Friends of Four Hand Music**. 665-2811, 663-3942. Members meet to share ensemble piano music ranging from simple duets to music for four players at two pianos. Listeners welcome (seniors especially welcome). Meets second Sun. 2 p.m. No meetings July & Aug. The club also hosts a club birthday celebration each June. Call for location and times. No dues. S

**Friends of the English Regency**. Call Jennifer Dye, 663-6839. Organization for people with an interest in the culture and literature of England in the early 1800s. Period card and croquet games and dances (ball with dance workshops each Oct. & Feb.). Participants encouraged to wear period costumes. Call for meeting times and locations. No dues; small fee for dances. E-mail: jdye@gale.com

**Grand Traditions Vintage Dance Academy**. Call Arlynn Hacker, 429-0014. Dance group reconstructs historic dances of the Victorian, ragtime, and swing eras. Offers lessons at all levels. Monthly (Sept.-Apr.): workshops Sun. 1-3 p.m., informal dances Sun. 3-5 p.m. (\$5/workshop, \$7.50/workshop and dance). Formal balls second Sat., Dec. & Feb., \$20 fee. Holiday Victorian ball (Dec.) & Blue Moon 20s Ball (Feb.) (Costs include pre-ball workshops and after-ball ice cream social). Scholarships available. Pittsfield Grange, 3337 Ann Arbor-Saline Rd.

**Griff's Jams**, 106 E. Liberty, Suite 303. 761-MUSIC. Informal gathering-jam for musicians of all ages and experience levels. Bring instruments and music. Meets every Thurs. 8-11 p.m. No dues. \$2 donation per session.

**Measure for Measure**, P.O. Box 2938, AA 48106. Call Dick Frank, 429-9266. 70-voice men's choir conducted by EMU professor Leonard Riccinto. Auditions in Sept. the Sun. after Labor Day, rehearsals every Sun. 7-9 p.m., EMU Alexander Music Building.

**Our Lady's Madrigal Singers**. Call Kevin O'Brien, 483-1732. Coed semiprofessional singing group for those interested in Renaissance-era music and costumes. Rehearsals every Wed. 7:15-9:15 p.m. at Concordia College. Major performances include the Michigan Renaissance Festival in Holly, Michigan, an annual concert, and holiday caroling. No dues. E-mail: kob1@ix.netcom.com

**Our Own Thing Choral/Our Own Thing Organization**. Call Barbara Meadows, 677-4407. Directed by U-M's Willis Patterson, this group of singers from Ann Arbor and surrounding areas is devoted to preserving and performing the works of African-American composers. Supports an instructional program for musically talented young people in collabora-

tion with the Ann Arbor Public Schools. Open to all singers in Ann Arbor and outlying areas. Meets every Tues. 7:30 p.m., Bethel A.M.E. Church, 900 John A. Woods Dr. Dues: \$20.

**Residence Hall Repertory Theater**. Call U-M Hillel, 769-0500. Student volunteers, utilizing music, poetry, dance, and improvisation, create and perform original scripts dealing with contemporary social and personal issues. Call for further information.

**Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barbershop Quartet Singing in America, Inc.** (Huron Valley Harmonizers). Call John Hancock, 769-8169. Men's barbershop-style harmony group meets to sing every Tues. 7:30 p.m., Trinity Lutheran Church, 1400 Stadium. Guests welcome. Annual dues: \$72. E-mail: 74367.3504@compuserve.com

**Spinning Stars Square Dance Club**. Call Dorothy Hoffmeyer, 662-3405. Sponsors instruction for intermediate-level square dancers. Meets first Fri. 8-10:30 p.m., Oct.-June, Fellowship Hall, Dixboro United Methodist Church, 5221 Church Rd. Fees: members, \$40/eight sessions; nonmembers, \$6/session.

**Summer Symphony**, P.O. Box 8230, AA 48106. Call Jon Krueger, 677-4831. Volunteer avocational orchestra gives six free concerts of orchestral music during the summer, three in Ann Arbor and three elsewhere in southern Michigan. Group practices once or twice a week mid-May-early Aug. Auditions in April. The summer symphony has added emphasis on continuing string instrument education for adults. No dues.

**Swing Singers**. 994-2300, ext. 228. Sponsored by Community Education and Recreation, this chorus for sopranos and altos meets every Tues. night, Oct.-May. Varied repertoire. Fees vary.

**Talk To Us**. Call U-M Hillel, 769-0500. Interactive theater troupe of undergraduate students, sponsored by Hillel and the U-M Housing Division. Explores topics pertinent to student life, including racism, sexism, and diversity, as well as interpersonal and social issues. Audience participation is encouraged during performances. Call for further information.

**Troupe Habib al-Fen**. Call Grace Lehman, 769-0645. Middle Eastern folkloric dance ensemble performs locally at various civic and cultural events. Based at the Ann Arbor YMCA; classes in *beledi* (belly dance) are also taught there by the group's director. Level I & II classes Mon. 7:15-8:45 p.m.; advanced classes Tues. 7:45-9:45 p.m. Special workshops are also offered.

**Tuesday Night Ballroom Dancers**. Call Gilberta Stephens, 995-0241. Ballroom dancing every Tues. 8:30-11:30 p.m., the Grotto Club, 2070 W. Stadium. Membership: \$15/year. Fee: \$5/guest, \$4/member, \$4.50/assoc. Dance class 7-8 p.m. (\$3). Refreshments. Singles, married couples welcome.

**U-M Ballroom Dance Club**. 763-6984 (hotline). Students and nonstudents meet for weekly dance classes followed by ballroom practice dance. Holds three dance parties each year. No partner necessary and dress is casual. Meets Sun. 7 p.m. (class), 8-10 p.m. (open dance), usually at the Michigan Union Ballroom. Annual dues \$20, semester \$10, trial \$2 (U-M students & staff). Call for current location and class times.

**U-M Folk Dance Club**. Call Liz Mustard, 662-4258. Recreational folk dancing, mostly Eastern European and Middle Eastern line dances. Open to everyone. No partner needed; beginners welcome. Meets at Leonardo's Cafe, Pierpont Commons, 2101 Bonisteel. Call for dates and times. No dues, donations accepted. E-mail: emustard@umich.edu

**UMS Choral Union**. Call Edie Bookstein, 763-8997. Thomas Sheets conducts this 175-voice chorus that performs with the Detroit, Toledo, Grand Rapids, and Ann Arbor symphony orchestras. Varied repertoire, including Handel's "Messiah" during the holidays. Open to all by audition, by appointment. Rehearses Mon. 7-9:30 p.m., Sept.-May, U-M Modern Languages Bldg. Auditorium 4, corner of Thayer and Washington. No dues. E-mail: tsheets@umich.edu

**Washtenaw Dance Association**, P.O. Box 130884, AA 48113. Local nonprofit organization dedicated to promoting and supporting all varieties of dance through service to dancers and dance lovers and sponsorship of public dance activities. Annual dues: \$20. Write for more information.

**Women's Chamber Chorus**. Call Jane Brown, 677-0678 or 663-5907. Nondenominational group performs a variety of music from classical to folk to pop. No auditions required. Call for information. Rehearses every Mon. 10-11:45 a.m., Sept.-May (starting the first Mon. after Labor Day), Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 520 W. Jefferson.

**Working Writers Group**. Call Sylvan Zeff, (810) 471-0188 or Dale Miel, 973-0776. Writers in all styles and genres gather informally to read and cri-



# CLUBS & CLASSES

tique each other's work. Visitors welcome. Meets second & fourth Mon. 7 p.m., 2910 Marshall. No dues.

## CLASSES

**Ann Arbor Area Piano Teachers Guild.** Call Mary Bates, 994-5627 (membership and meeting info), or Joanne Weintraub, 665-5346 (teacher referral). Makes referrals to piano teachers, and sponsors competitions, recitals, and scholarship opportunities for students. Visitors welcome. Meets third Thurs. 9 a.m., Kerrytown Concert House, 415 N. Fourth Ave.

**Ann Arbor School for the Performing Arts,** 4090 Geddes (in the Titus Bldg. of Concordia College). 995-4625. Classes for ages beginning at 18 months: Kindermusik, Music for Children, the Joy of Music, Music Theory, Intro to Voice. Private instruction is available in piano, voice, woodwinds, strings, brass, percussion, organ, classical & pop guitar. Jazz Ensemble Program for players of all levels. Chamber Music groups for string, woodwind, or brass players of any age. Large ensembles include Youth, Intermediate, and Junior String Orchestras (grades 3-9), Michigan Children of SCORE (String, Choral, Orff, Recorder Ensemble) for ages 9-12, and the Adult Chamber Orchestra. 15-week semesters for classes and ensembles begin Sept. 17 & Jan. 26. Private instruction at any time. Classes at Concordia College and other locations around Ann Arbor. Call for catalog.

**Dance Studios.** Ann Arbor has many private studios offering dance lessons. See the Yellow Pages for listings.

**Israeli Dancing.** Hillel Foundation, 1429 Hill. 769-0500. Instruction in Israeli traditional folk dancing. Meets weekly, usually Sun. 8-10 p.m. (call to confirm). Fees: \$2.50/lesson.

**Swing City Dance Studio,** 1960 South Industrial. 668-7782, 995-3635. Classes for all ages include tap, ballroom, Appalachian clogging, Celtic, Scottish highland dancing, and children's creative dance. Call for information.

## POLITICAL & SOCIAL ACTION

**American Civil Liberties Union,** P.O. Box 8083, AA 48107. (313) 961-7728. Branch of nationwide organization that promotes and defends the Bill of Rights through education, litigation, and legislation. Members help resolve citizen complaints, lobby legislators, and develop educational projects. Meets fourth Thurs. 8 p.m., First Unitarian Church, 1917 Washtenaw. Dues vary (\$5 and up based on status).

**American Friends Service Committee,** 1414 Hill (behind the Friends Meetinghouse). 761-8283. Part of national social change organization with programs worldwide. Local branch offers programs on both criminal justice issues and gay, lesbian, and bisexual rights. No dues.

**American Movement for Israel,** U-M Hillel, 1429 Hill. 769-0500. Promotes support and understanding for the state of Israel and the Jewish people through educational programs and political activism. Call for meeting times and locations. No dues. E-mail: umhillel@umich.edu

**Amnesty International.** 668-0660. Local branch of a worldwide organization devoted to restoring prisoners of conscience to freedom. Members lobby by letter on behalf of political prisoners around the world. Other topics of concern: capital punishment, torture, refugees, and other human rights issues. Meets second Tues. 7:30 p.m., U-M Michigan Union Walker Room. No dues.

**Ann Arbor Area 2000,** P.O. Box 15341, AA 48106. 483-2777. Sponsors public forums on issues affecting our community. Currently at work on the Ann Arbor Area Quality Indicators Project. Volunteer opportunities for people interested in community improvement. No dues.

**Ann Arbor Democratic Party,** P.O. Box 4178, AA 48107. Call the Ann Arbor Democratic Party at 480-4986 for information. Organizes local campaigns, raises funds, and works with statewide and national campaigns. Does not recruit candidates or take a position on primaries. Meets third Thurs. 7:30 p.m., Ann Arbor Community Center, 625 N. Main. Newsletter published quarterly.

**Ann Arbor-Juigalpa Sister City Committee.** Call Gregory Fox, 663-0655. Group works with Ann Arbor's Nicaraguan sister city, raising funds for economic development and medical, sanitation, and housing needs, and fostering cross-cultural understanding.

standing through pen pals and visiting delegations. Opposes U.S. military intervention in Central America. Meets fourth Mon. 7:30 p.m., First Baptist Church, 512 E. Huron St. No dues. E-mail: gefox@igc.apc.org

**Ann Arbor Tenants Union,** 4001 U-M Michigan Union. 763-6876. Provides information and counseling for local students and low-income residents about tenants' rights and landlords' duties. Publishes a newsletter, *Tenants' Voice*, and a handbook, *How to Evict Your Landlord*, available at area bookstores.

**Black/Jewish Coalition of Washtenaw County,** 2935 Birch Hollow. 971-0990. Coalition devoted to bringing together local black and Jewish people. Sponsors informal get-togethers and discussions of issues concerning both communities, and works to fight anti-Semitism and racism. Annual events include Martin Luther King Jr. birthday celebration and a Freedom Seder at Passover.

**Buddhist Movement for Justice and Peace,** Zen Buddhist Temple, 1214 Packard. 761-6520. International organization working to educate Buddhists and others on issues of social justice and human rights. Meets irregularly. Events include a Buddha's Birthday public forum, annual Liberation of Life service, and fund-raising for the poor and needy.

**Hillary Rodham Clinton Fan Club.** Call Karen Reese, 662-2365, or Val Constance, 662-1563. Local branch of national organization whose goals are to support the projects and programs on which Mrs. Clinton is working and to provide support of President Clinton's programs. Meets third Wed. 6 p.m. at Zingerman's, 422 Detroit St. Meets twice yearly, Apr. & Oct., for potluck and networking. Genesis of Ann Arbor, 2309 Packard. E-mail: KReese4096@aol.com

**Coalition for Arms Control.** 663-4897. Coalition of peace and justice groups from Southeast Michigan working to change budget priorities from military to domestic spending and to educate the public about such issues as the test ban treaty, nuclear stockpiles, and other environmental concerns. Meets at least one Sat. a month, usually 9:30-11 a.m., 310 S. Ashley. No dues.

**Community Action on Substance Abuse,** P.O. Box 2814, AA 48106. 973-7892, 761-5621, 995-3782. Volunteer grassroots organization working to prevent and reduce substance abuse and its consequences. Sponsors youth activities, parenting workshops. Publishes a directory of local substance abuse resources. Meets first Thurs. 7:15 p.m., Sept.-June., First Presbyterian Church, 1432 Washtenaw. No dues; donations welcome.

**Democratic Socialists of America.** Call Eric Ebel, 677-8470. Local division of national organization of people looking for practical ways to achieve progressive social and political change. Issues for this year include economic democracy and social justice. Meets irregularly. Annual dues: \$35 individual, \$15 low-income or student.

**Gay, Lesbian, & Bisexual Veterans of America,** 610 Wilton Ct., AA 48103. Call Steve Webb, 665-6363. Southeastern Michigan chapter of this gay veteran social and advocacy group working to fight discrimination against gays in the military. Gives presentations to schools and church groups, socializes. Meets third Sun. 7 p.m.; location varies. Annual dues: \$25 (includes national newsletter).

**Green Party of Huron Valley,** 548 S. Main. 663-3555. Local organization of the global Green movement works to promote ecology, social justice, democracy, and nonviolence through education, community action, and legislation. Meets every Sun., Michigan League. Call office for details. Annual dues: up to \$35 (local and national) based on ability to pay.

**Interfaith Council for Peace and Justice,** 730 Tappan, AA 48104. 663-1870. Education/action group of clergy, laity, and other people of conscience, supported by many local religious congregations and individuals. Works on issues of hunger, disarmament, U.S. Latin American policy, the Middle East, and racial and economic justice in the U.S. 23rd annual Hunger (CROP) Walk Oct. 5. No fee. Call or write to get on newsletter mailing list. E-mail: icpj@m-net.arboret.org

**Israel Michigan Public Affairs Committee,** U-M Hillel, 1429 Hill. 769-0500. Student organization committed to fostering a strong relationship between the U.S. and Israel. Encourages students to actively involve themselves in the American political process on the federal, state, and local levels. No dues. Call for further information. E-mail: umhillel@umich.edu

**Jewish Feminist Group.** Call Shani Lasin at U-M Hillel, 769-0500. Organization of women (mainly students, but others welcome) interested in the role of women in the Jewish community. Works to redefine women's roles in Judaism with the women's minyan, Rosh Hodesh celebrations, and feminist Seder. Hosts speakers and discussions on women's roles in Jewish

law and tradition. Call for meeting times and locations. No dues. E-mail: umhillel@umich.edu

**League of Women Voters,** P.O. Box 3832, AA 48106. 665-5808. Local chapter of nonpartisan national group that studies issues, provides election information, sponsors candidate forums prior to elections, and lobbies government officials. In cooperation with the *Ann Arbor News*, provides voters' guides the week before major elections. Also publishes *Know Your Schools* and a postelection guide, *Your Elected Officials*, and the Washtenaw County political map. Open to men and women of voting age. Meets second Tues. 7-9 p.m., Women's City Club, 1830 Washtenaw Ave. Annual dues: \$35 (local, state, and national).

**The Office of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual & Transgender Affairs,** 3116 U-M Michigan Union. 763-4186. This office publishes *Ann Arbor-Ypsilanti Area Resources for Lesbians, Gay Men, and Bisexual People* and provides links to political action and advocacy groups for gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgendered people. Serves as an umbrella organization for several other groups, including the Lesbian Gay Bisexual Alliance, a campus group whose goal is to provide leadership for their community, and Queer Unity Project, an activist group that fights homophobia. No dues. Call for meeting times and locations. Web: www.umich.edu/~inquery/ E-mail: lgba@umich.edu

**Libertarian Party of Washtenaw County,** P.O. Box 447, Chelsea 48118. 677-0609. Group fields political candidates, promotes libertarianism ("the politics of free market enterprise and social tolerance"), and is involved in local political issues. Publishes quarterly newsletter, the *Washtenaw Libertarian*. Meets every Thurs. 7:30 p.m., Dominick's, 812 Monroe. Meetings and information free; annual dues \$10. E-mail: aguli@provide.net

**Michigan Nude Beach Advocates,** P.O. Box 8127, AA 48107. (313) 475-9198. Organization for the creation of clothing-optional beach and park areas locally and statewide; part of an expanding network aimed at changing the public's attitude toward nudity. Meets fourth Thurs., Gypsy Cafe, 214 N. Fourth. Annual dues: \$20, or as able to pay (includes newsletter and membership in the local social organization, Southeast Michigan Naturists).

**NAACP.** Call Harry Williams, 663-6226. Branch of national organization that monitors civil rights issues. Meets first Mon. 7 p.m., Northside Community Center, 815 Taylor. Annual dues: \$10-\$500 (includes national membership).

**National Organization for Women,** 1917 Washtenaw. 995-5494 or Bev Fish, 484-1897. National organization whose aim is to bring women into full participation in all areas of society. Call for meeting information and newsletter. Annual dues: \$22-\$40 (includes national, state, and local membership).

**Public Interest Research Group in Michigan (PIRGIM),** 122 S. Main, Suite 370. 662-6597. Statewide grassroots research, advocacy, and litigation organization working on behalf of consumers and the environment. Lobbies for clean water, toxic waste reduction and cleanup, recycling, safe energy, and consumer issues in Michigan and nationally. Annual dues: \$25 and up (includes newsletter).

**Republican Party of Washtenaw County,** 3830 Packard, Suite 180. 971-4622. Supports Republican candidates at local, county, and state levels and develops campaign plans and strategies. Provides voting information on candidates. Meets second Thurs. 7:30 p.m. No dues. E-mail: wrcnews@aol.com

**Solidarity.** 995-1499. Local branch of socialist organization promoting the rights of workers, people of color, women, and the lesbian and gay communities. Members are active in various community projects. Meets bimonthly; guests welcome. Call for times and locations. Dues vary.

**20/20 Vision—S.E. Michigan.** Call Shana Milkie, 332-1106. Once a month, subscribers receive a postcard detailing a 20-minute action they can take to save the environment or work toward peace, such as writing a congressman regarding a specific bill. Core Group meets monthly at a downtown location, generally first Sat. 9:30 a.m., to decide on issues and prepare the postcards. Meetings are free. Annual dues: \$20 (postcard subscription). Web: www.2020vision.org E-mail: smilkie@mich.com

**United Nations Association—USA** (Huron Valley Chapter). Call Karwyn Rigan, 663-4901, or Alice Steinbach, 475-2060. Local branch of national organization dedicated to building an informed and active public to support U.S. leadership in an effective United Nations. Three meetings annually; call for times and locations. Dues vary and include quarterly newsletter.

**Vegetarian Information Network and Exchange (VINE),** P.O. Box 2224, AA 48106. Call Larry Kaiser, 426-8525, (517) 423-3226. Educational nonprofit support group promotes the adoption of a

vegetarian lifestyle. Meets first Wed. for speaker presentations, restaurant outings, and potlucks. New members welcome. Meeting times and locations vary with the activity; call or write for current information. Annual dues: \$15 (includes quarterly newsletter). E-mail: vine-info@umich.edu

**War Tax Dissidents.** Call Fran Eliot, 663-2655. David Bassett, 662-1373. Group works for passage of Peace Tax Fund Bill, which would establish the right of conscientious objection to military taxation, and allow taxpayers to redirect the military portion of their taxes to peace-enhancing projects. Maintains speakers' bureau and lends video ("Compelled to Conscience"). Meets second Sun. (except Aug.) 11:45 a.m. with the Peace and Social Concerns Committee of the Friends Meeting. No dues.

**Women's International League for Peace and Freedom.** Call Odile Hugonot-Haber, 761-7960. Organization promotes equality, world disarmament, and changing of government priorities to meet human needs. Meets first Mon. 7 p.m. (optional dinner 6 p.m.), Michigan League, 911 North University. Annual dues: \$35 (includes newsletter and subscription to *Peace and Freedom*).

## RELIGIOUS GROUPS

In addition to the groups listed here, many local churches, synagogues, and religious fellowships offer Bible study or special interest discussion groups. For a list of congregations, see Religion, p. 89.

**African Christian Fellowship.** Call Chibuzor Ozo, 996-9198. This Christian group meets weekly to study the Bible and explore its applications to family and daily life. Sat. 7 p.m. Call for location.

**Ann Arbor Catholic Forum,** P.O. Box 2184, AA 48106-2184. Seeks to help all people develop a deeper understanding of the truths of the Catholic faith and to apply the timeless teachings of the church to issues affecting our daily lives. The forum presents bimonthly speakers, providing an opportunity for learning, discussion, and solidarity in faith. The group is characterized by simple and complete fidelity to the church. For more information, please write. E-mail: tcocok@rc.net

**Community Bible Study.** 668-6340. The local branch of an international organization, this interdenominational, in-depth Bible study group is open to adults and children. Every Tues. 9:15-11:15 a.m. adults meet for small group discussion and lecture; concurrent children's class includes nursery. Grace Bible Church, 1300 S. Maple. Every Tues. 7:30-9:15 p.m. adult classes meet at Ann Arbor Christian Reformed Church, 1717 Broadway. Call for fees. E-mail: murleam@juno.com

**Deep Spring Center,** 3455 Charing Cross. 971-3455. Nondenominational, nonprofit spiritual organization for people of all faiths interested in exploring the meaning of spirituality in their lives and deepening their direct experience through meditation. Sponsors free weekly Insight Meditation Sitting Group and two 10-week meditation courses each semester (\$100/semester, or less, based on ability to pay), and three residential retreats throughout the year. Series of introductory meditation classes offered through the U-M's "Uncommon Courses" program for a \$20 fee. Quarterly newsletter. Also hosts weekly "spiritual inquiry" in which Barbara Brodsky channels a spirit named Aaron. Public is welcome; no fee (donations welcome). Meditation group meets Mon. & Tues. 7:30 p.m.; spiritual inquiry group meets Wed. 7:30 p.m., Sept.-June. Call to confirm.

**Ecumenical Center and International Residence,** 921 Church. 662-5529. Provides programs and services for international students and visiting scholars, including a residence, home hospitality program, global educational programming, pastoral and peer counseling, and worship services.

**Home League,** Salvation Army Citadel, 100 Arbana. 668-8353. This interdenominational women's church group meets every Wed. 10:30 a.m., for worship, education, fellowship, and service.

**Jewish Federation of Washtenaw County/United Jewish Appeal,** 2939 Birch Hollow. 677-0100. Umbrella organization dedicated to enhancing support of Israel while building strong Jewish life locally, nationally, and internationally through community activities, education, and fund-raising. E-mail: jccfed@aol.com

**Magical Education Council of Ann Arbor,** P.O. Box 7727, AA 48107. Call Kami Landy, 761-1137. Organization to bring together people from a variety of mystical and esoteric traditions to foster community and understanding. Speakers on a wide variety of topics, trips to sacred sites, and an annual conference. Class in basic witchcraft second & fourth Sat. 6-9 p.m., ICC Education Center, 1522 Hill (behind the co-op at 1520 Hill). Lecture/discussion series first & third Fri. 7:30 p.m., also at ICC Education Center.



speakers. Most events are free and open to the public. Annual dues: \$15 (provides discounts for activities and a newsletter). Web: [www.cyberspace.org/~convocat/](http://www.cyberspace.org/~convocat/) Email: [convocat@cyberspace.org](mailto:convocat@cyberspace.org)

**Interfaith Navigators.** Call Bob Adgate, 663-2336. Interdenominational international Christian organization that meets in small groups to discuss personal growth, discipleship, and the basics of Christian life. Meets weekly. No dues.

**Sri Chinmoy Centre,** 617 East University, Suite 200, Call Kapila Castoldi, 994-7114. A spiritual or spiritualized organization based on the teachings of Sri Chinmoy. Workshops in meditation; peace activities. Emphasizes physical fitness and its role in spiritual life. Call for meeting times. No dues.

**U-M Guild House,** 802 Monroe. 662-5189. Interfaith campus ministry provides a forum for raising issues and addressing social and spiritual issues within the U-M and Ann Arbor communities. Regular programs include discussion groups, writers' groups, and book groups. Call for details and meeting times. No dues.

## SENIORS GROUPS

listed below are social and political groups for seniors as well as community centers offering educational and social programs especially for them. Some area colleges offer courses at reduced fees for seniors: see *Colleges and Universities*, p. 119. For additional exercise classes, see *Recreation*, p. 129.

**American Association of Retired Persons (AARP).** Call Ralph Michener, 663-5429. For those age 50 and up. Meets second Thurs. 1:30 p.m., Sept.-June, at Pittsfield Township Hall, 701 Pittsfield. Speakers and programs vary. National AARP membership offers health, home owners', and auto insurances, travel discounts, investment counseling, a pharmacy service, and a motoring plan (similar to AAA). Also, 55-Alive, an eight-hour driving refresher course for older drivers, is offered periodically in Ann Arbor. Annual dues, \$3 local and \$6 national (includes magazine). S

**Ann Arbor Community Center,** 625 N. Main. 662-3128. Program for people over 55 Tues.-Thurs. 10:30 a.m.-1 p.m. Recreational, social, educational, and health activities, including arts and crafts, trips, lectures, health screening, and a lunch program. Also provides outreach for homebound seniors on Tues. & Fri. Membership \$1/month (donation), includes newsletter. S

**Ann Arbor Kiwanis Golden K.** Call Sophia Farah, 665-0063. Members meet for community service and fellowship. Aids Mott Children's Hospital and a wide variety of service organizations. Meets Wed. 9:30 a.m., Salvation Army Citadel, 100 Arbana. All seniors welcome anytime. S

**Ann Arbor Senior Center,** 1320 Baldwin. 769-5911. "A friendly place for all seniors to come for

fun, socialization, and camaraderie." This center is cosponsored by the city and the Ann Arbor Public Schools. Classes, special events, and trips are scheduled throughout the year. 13 weekly activity groups. Lunch (\$1.50) is served Mon., Wed., & Fri. at 11:30 a.m. Bimonthly newsletter, *Golden Nuggets*, is available at the Center, Community Education & Recreation office, senior residences, and the district libraries. Call or stop by for additional information or to get on the mailing list (\$5/calendar year). Office hours: Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-4 p.m. S

**Bryant Golden Group,** Bryant Community Center, 3 W. Eden Ct. 994-2722. Social and recreational sessions for local seniors and other interested neighbors. Call for meeting times. S

**Elderwise.** 572-2035. Continuing education program sponsored by EMU offers education and fellowship for people over 50 in southeastern Michigan. Offers a wide variety of classes and workshops. Member-shaped organization with peer teachers; no tests, exams, or grades. Most classes meet at Towsley Senior Health Bldg., 5361 McAuley. Annual dues: \$20. Class fees \$5-\$25 (reduced fees for members). Some classes offered with no fees. S

**Gray Panthers.** Call convenor Robert Boyd, 769-7530. Intergenerational organization for social and economic justice, advocating at local, state, and national levels on issues of demilitarization, health care, housing, and job, age, and sex discrimination. Meets first Sat. 10 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Sept.-June, Ann Arbor Senior Center, 1320 Baldwin. Annual dues: \$25 (reduced for people with limited incomes). S E-mail: [donpelz@umich.edu](mailto:donpelz@umich.edu)

**Monday Club,** Salvation Army Citadel, 100 Arbana. 668-8353. Informal drop-in social group meets every Mon. 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Activities include crafts, exercise, Bible study, and special guest speakers. Lunch available. \$1 optional donation. S

**Northeast Seniors Center,** Dixboro United Methodist Church, 5221 Church Rd., Dixboro. 996-0070. This nonprofit gathering place sponsors numerous exercise programs at all levels, nutrition programs, music (Guys and Dolls Line Dancers, Senior Chorus, and Get It All Together Band), health classes, health checks, and blood pressure checks, art classes, computer lab, and financial planning seminars. Organizes support groups as needed for members. Many social activities and trips. This center sponsors Family Fun Day at Domino's Farms on the first Sun. in June in celebration of Michigan Family Day. Senior Chorus, Mon. 11 a.m.; exercise classes, Mon., Wed., & Fri. 10 a.m.; Gentle Gym (exercise for people with limited mobility), Tues. & Thurs. 10 a.m. Center open Mon., Wed., & Fri. 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Transportation volunteers especially needed. S

**Senior Citizens' Guild,** 1277 Wisteria. 663-3394. Offers a wide range of activities for those 55 and over, including art classes (beginning and advanced),

exercise and nutrition classes, bowling, bingo, bridge, euchre, and pinocle. Also, a Preventive Health Clinic and day and overnight trips. The Men's Luncheon Club and Ladies' Luncheon Club meet weekly for socializing. Open to all. Guild membership (\$10/year) includes monthly *Guild News*. S

**SPICE—Jewish Community Center,** 2935 Birch Hollow. 971-0990. The JCC's older adult program offers social, physical, intellectual, cultural, and educational activities for seniors in the local Jewish community. Activities include creative writing, mah-jongg groups, day trips to area museums, and performing arts events. Seniors on Stage is a readers' theater troupe. Around Town sends seniors to movies, dinners, and dress rehearsals of local productions. Intergenerational events are planned with the JCC preschool, Hebrew Day School, and U-M students. Meets Mon., Tues., & Thurs. Call for times. S

**Turner Geriatric Clinic,** 1010 Wall St. and 1500 E. Medical Center Dr. 764-2556. This center provides comprehensive programming for seniors and comprehensive medical care with an interdisciplinary team. Individual and group counseling and "Living Well," a care management program, are also provided. Turner Learning Programs include workshops and support groups on topics such as health care, nutrition, memory improvement, disease prevention, fitness, life after retirement, creative writing, the art of successful aging, and caring for grandchildren and aging relatives. The Learning in Retirement program has courses taught by U-M faculty, lectures, and peer-led study groups. The Lunch Bunch meets third Thurs. 12:30 p.m., at restaurants in and around Ann Arbor. Gays & Lesbians Older and Wiser (GLOW), a social and support group for gays and lesbians age 50 and over, meets first Sat. 11 a.m. S

**Viva Ventures.** 663-3077. Physically active seniors age 50 and over plan hiking, biking, canoeing, camping, skiing, white-water rafting, and hot-air balloon excursions. Meets third Fri. 7:30 p.m., Ann Arbor Senior Center, 1320 Baldwin. Annual dues: \$12 (includes newsletter). S

**Washtenaw County Council on Aging,** Towsley Senior Health Bldg., 5361 McAuley, 712-3625. Presents educational programs for all adults on topics including aging, retirement planning, housing issues, Social Security, and Medicare/Medicaid. Provides prescription and tax rebate assistance for seniors. Publishes the annual *Resource Directory for Senior Adults*. Donations accepted. S

## SINGLES GROUPS

**First Singles.** 741-8345. Weekly meetings for divorced, widowed, or single adults age 30 or older who are interested in contemporary Christian topics, personal growth, and social and physical activities. Midweek volleyball; Saturday breakfasts. Meets every Sun. 10:30 a.m., First Presbyterian Church, 1432 Washtenaw. No dues.

**LINCS.** 971-3280. A service of Jewish Family Services designed to introduce Jewish singles in a dignified and confidential manner. Participants complete a questionnaire and a detailed personal interview with a professional staff member. Nominal fees.

**Parents Without Partners.** 973-1933, 994-7855. Social organization for divorced, separated, widowed, or never-married persons with at least one living child. Local chapter has 300 members. Parties, bridge, sports, discussions, family functions. Dances (\$5) third Fri. 9 p.m.-1 a.m.; call for location. (Occasionally dances are open to nonmembers.) Must attend an orientation meeting before joining. Annual dues \$30.

## SOCIAL GROUPS

**AHAVA—Jewish Lesbian, Bisexual, and Gay Collective,** U-M Hillel, 1429 Hill St. 769-0500. Social organization for lesbians, gays, and bisexuals from a wide spectrum of Jewish backgrounds to meet and talk. Sponsors speakers and lectures. Meets monthly. No dues.

**Ann Arbor Women's City Club,** 1830 Washtenaw. 662-3279. A club for women of all ages. Monthly club activities, travelogues, fashion shows, trips and tours, bridge, daily lunch for members and their guests. Home tour every May. Clubhouse available for private parties and receptions. Memberships available. For information please call the club.

**Faculty Women's Club.** Call Mona Jones, 769-4043. Social organization for U-M women faculty, and faculty and staff wives. 42 interest groups include arts, books, bridge, garden, home, language, drama, sports, and travel. Annual dues: \$15.

**Formerly Employed Mothers at the Leading Edge (FEMALE).** Call Ann, 662-0049. Support, advocacy, and networking group for women who have interrupted their careers to stay at home with their children. Members meet for discussion and socializing first & third Thurs. 7 p.m.; locations vary. Annual dues: \$24 (includes monthly newsletter).

**German Park Recreational Club,** 5549 Pontiac Tr., South Lyon 48178. 769-0048. Nonprofit corporation that operates the 20-acre German Park, for members only. Members meet monthly at the park. Prospective members must participate in work sessions before being approved. Call for recorded information.

**International Neighbors.** 995-3819, 973-8971 (president), 747-6051. Women's community group extending friendship, understanding, and assistance to women from other countries living temporarily in Ann Arbor. Currently, 275 Ann Arbor women and 850 foreign women are affiliated. General interest programs held third Thurs. 9:30 a.m., Oct.-May, Zion Lutheran Church, 1501 W. Liberty. Care for preschoolers, transportation. Informal language classes and small group meetings held in participants' homes. No fee (donations accepted).

**Jewish Community Center,** 2935 Birch Hollow Dr. 971-0990. Works to foster the growth of Jewish identity and community locally, cooperating with other Jewish organizations and religious institutions. Sponsors community events throughout the year; programs for singles, families, infants, toddlers, seniors; preschool, full day care, day camps, after-school youth programs, and sports clubs; adult cultural and sports programs. Varying fees. E-mail: [jccfed@aol.com](mailto:jccfed@aol.com)

**Jewish Community Center Outing Club,** Jewish Community Center, 2935 Birch Hollow. 971-0990. Provides single and married adults in their twenties and thirties with an opportunity for casual socializing. Sponsors various outings, including canoeing, camping, music, dance, theater, dinner, and potlucks.

**Office of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual & Transgender Affairs,** 3116 U-M Michigan Union. 763-4186. U-M office publishes *Ann Arbor—Area Resources for Lesbians, Gay Men, and Bisexual People*, which includes many listings for social groups such as the Monday Night Out, the Lesbians of Color Collective, and the Social Group for Bisexual Women. Also cosponsors Club Fabulous, a monthly dance party for lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgendered people and their friends. Call for information. Web: [www.umich.edu/~inquery/](http://www.umich.edu/~inquery/) E-mail: [lgta@umich.edu](mailto:lgta@umich.edu)

**Mensa.** Call Karen Smith, (248) 437-8828. Membership in this international nonprofit society requires a score at or above the 98th percentile on any of several standardized IQ tests. Monthly dinner meetings and discussion and game groups; happy hour every Fri. Annual dues: \$45. E-mail: [smithkl@ibm.net](mailto:smithkl@ibm.net)

**Newcomers Club of Ann Arbor.** Call Leah Schultz, 995-0476, or Anna Madison, 429-0872. A social organization for women of all ages and interests. Members assist Ann Arbor residents (new or old) in making acquaintances in the community. Numerous interest groups meet throughout the month. Meets third Tues. for 12:30 p.m. coffee, 1 p.m. program, Women's City Club, 1830 Washtenaw. Morning coffee second Tues. 10 a.m.; call for location. Annual dues: \$15.

**Older Lesbians Organizing.** 482-2996, 763-4186. Organization offers a variety of social and special interest activities for the older lesbian community. Meets second Fri. 7:30 p.m., for discussion or activity at Common Language Bookstore, 215 S. Fourth Ave.; and fourth Sat. (call for time and location) for purely social gathering. Newcomers welcome. No dues.

**Remarrieds.** 665-4266, 769-6881. Ecumenical support, discussion, and social group for couples in which at least one member is remarried. Meets every Sun. 9:30 a.m., Sept.-May, First Presbyterian Church, 1432 Washtenaw. No dues.

**Society of Les Voyageurs.** 662-1553. Established 1907, this organization (predominantly U-M students, some other community members) enjoys local outdoor activities including canoeing, skiing, hiking. Meets for dinner and speaker every Sun. 6 p.m., Sept.-May, 411 Longshore Dr. Guests welcome; please call ahead. E-mail: [lv-actives@umich.edu](mailto:lv-actives@umich.edu)

**Southeast Michigan Naturists,** P.O. Box 8127, AA 48107. (313) 475-9198. Organization seeks to provide "a nudist community within a textile compulsive society." Works with Naturist Action Committee to create legal and social accommodation of nudity, whether motivated by artistry, religion, or personal philosophy. Organizes many social activities, including canoeing, camping, hiking, playing cards, and visiting nudist resorts. Everyone is welcome. Call or write for meeting times, locations, and further information.



The U-M Guild House hosts discussions of social and spiritual issues (Religious Groups).



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Itzhak Perlman

Chicago Symphony Orchestra  
Christoph Eschenbach, conductor  
and piano  
Nadja Salerno-Sonnenberg, violin  
Chamber Music with Members of the  
Chicago Symphony Orchestra

Pat Metheny Group

Moscow Conservatory Chamber Ensemble

Estonian Philharmonic Chamber Choir

Tallinn Chamber Orchestra

Tõnu Kaljuste, conductor

Estonian Philharmonic Chamber Choir

Tõnu Kaljuste, conductor

Orchestra of St. Luke's Chamber

Ensemble

Philippe Herreweghe, conductor

Guitar Summit IV

Herb Ellis, jazz

Michael Hedges, acoustic

Sharon Isbin, classical

Rory Block, blues

Marilyn Horne, mezzo-soprano

Martin Katz, piano

Gabrieli Consort & Players

Celia Cruz

with José Alberto "El Canario"

Håkan Hagegård, baritone

Warren Jones, piano

Ursula Oppens, piano

First piano concert of  
the Beethoven the  
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American String Quartet

First string quartet concert  
of the Beethoven the  
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Orpheus Chamber Orchestra

Richard Goode, piano

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In the Fiddler's House

A Klezmer Summit featuring

The Klezmatics

Brave Old World

The Klezmer Conservatory Band

and The Andy Statman Klezmer

Orchestra

Handel's Messiah

UMS Choral Union

Ann Arbor Symphony Orchestra

Thomas Sheets, conductor

The Harlem Nutcracker

Donald Byrd/The Group

David Daniels, countertenor

Martin Katz, piano

Israel Philharmonic Orchestra

Zubin Mehta, conductor

Christopher Parkening, guitar

A Tribute to Andrés Segovia

Boys Choir of Harlem

Tokyo String Quartet

American String Quartet

Second string quartet concert  
of the Beethoven the  
Contemporary cycle

Ursula Oppens, piano

Second piano concert  
of the Beethoven the  
Contemporary cycle

The Dale Warland Singers

St. Paul Chamber Orchestra

Hugh Wolff, conductor

Emanuel Ax, piano

The Dale Warland Singers

The Canadian Brass

Royal Concertgebouw

Riccardo Chailly, conductor

Juan-José Mosalini

and His Grand Tango Orchestra

Chen Zimbalista, percussion

Petersen String Quartet

Chick Corea, piano

Gary Burton, vibes

Mendelssohn's Elijah

UMS Choral Union

Ann Arbor Symphony

Orchestra

Thomas Sheets, conductor

Jean-Yves Thibaudet, piano

New York City Opera National Company

Donizetti's Daughter

of the Regiment

Los Muñequitos de Matanzas

Batsheva Dance Company of Israel

Russian National Orchestra

Mikhail Pletnev, conductor

Gil Shaham, violin

Australian Chamber Orchestra

Richard Tognetti, conductor

Steven Isserlis, cello

Ursula Oppens, piano

Third piano concert of the  
Beethoven the Contemporary cycle

Paco de Lucia

and His Flamenco Orchestra

American String Quartet

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Streb/Ringside: POPACTION

Susanne Mentzer, mezzo-soprano

Eugeny Kissin, piano

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THE ARTS



# ENTERTAINMENT

Whatever your taste in performing arts, somewhere in Ann Arbor, on almost any night, you can find something to entertain and surprise you.

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Listings include each group's 1997-1998 schedule as of June 1997, when available. For changes, additions, more information, or to verify dates, call the number listed or check the monthly Ann Arbor Observer Events listings. Web: [www.annarborweb.com](http://www.annarborweb.com)

## PERFORMING ARTS SERIES

### GENERAL ARTS SERIES

**Ann Arbor Art Fairs.** In addition to displays by almost a thousand artists, the annual art fairs feature live music on several stages and other outdoor entertainment. 1998 Art Fair dates: July 15-18. For more information on the fairs, see Libraries, Museums, and Galleries, p. 123.

**Ann Arbor Summer Festival.** 400 Fourth St. 734-2278. Held annually since 1984, the Ann Arbor Summer Festival features theater, dance, and music by national and local performing artists at the Power Center and Lydia Mendelssohn Theater, as well as free concerts and movies atop the Fletcher Street parking structure. 1998 Summer Festival dates: June 10-July 12. Web: [www.aasf.org](http://www.aasf.org)

**The Ark.** 316 S. Main. 761-1451. Founded in 1965, this nationally famous folk music club presents a wide range of traditional and contemporary music, mostly acoustic, by local, national, and international performers. Major annual events include the **Ann Arbor Folk Festival** in Hill Auditorium (Jan. 31), a **Storytelling Festival** at the Ark (Feb. 27 & 28), and the **Frog Island Festival** in Ypsilanti (late June weekend to be announced). Also, the Ark sponsors New Age pianist **George Winston** at the Michigan Theater (Sept. 26), singer-songwriter **Ani DiFranco** at Hill Auditorium (Oct. 19), and hosts a gala nightclub benefit featuring **Judy Dow Rumelhart** (Oct. 24). Web: [www.a2ark.org](http://www.a2ark.org)

**Hillel Foundation.** 1429 Hill. 769-0500. The center of the U-M Jewish community, Hillel and the several student organizations it houses produce a wide range of religious, political, cultural, and arts events for the general public.

**Kerrytown Concert House.** 415 N. Fourth Ave. 769-2999. A wide range of top-notch classical and jazz music, along with opera and musical theater. Fall 1997 bookings include the **Parisian Foray** Opening Gala Concert celebrating the city of Paris with instrumental chamber music and a cabaret of songs about Paris (Sept. 12 & 13), famous New York violinist **Ani Kavafian** (Oct. 5), and pianist **William Doppen** (Nov. date to be announced). Web: [www.pells.com/kch](http://www.pells.com/kch)



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The Ark brings local, national, and international performers to Main Street.

**Michigan Theater Foundation.** 603 E. Liberty. 668-8397. In addition to operating the historic Michigan Theater as a rental space, the MTF presents repertory and first-run films. The theater will be celebrating its 70th anniversary in January 1998 with a series of silent films and other events. Live events include "Not Just for Kids" (a stage series for families) and presentations by the Ann Arbor Symphony, University Musical Society, and Ann Arbor Blues and Jazz Festival. For more information on the theater's film program, see Films, below. Web: [www.michtheater.com/mt](http://www.michtheater.com/mt)

**1997-1998 Not Just For Kids series:** Child's Play Touring Theater's Halloween production of "One Monster After Another" (Oct. 19), Theaterworks USA's production of the classic "Charlotte's Web" (Dec. 7), a show of music, dance, and storytelling, direct from Ghana, "Ishangi's Africa" (Feb. 22), and Theaterworks USA's production of the children's classic "Little Red Riding Hood" (Apr. 26).

**Performance Network.** 408 W. Washington. 663-0681. This local nonprofit organization hosts local and out-of-town theater, dance, and performance art groups, and produces a wide range of drama and other performances. The Network's annual "Raise the Roof" fund-raiser showcases many of Ann Arbor's best performing artists.

The Network's 1997-1998 guest artist productions include Jesse Richards's dance company's "Animal Lover's Project" (Dec. 4-7), the MorrisCo Art Theater, which specializes in classic theatrical works (date and title to be announced), Co-Lateral Dance Collective's annual "Autumn Dances" (Sept. 25-28), local playwright Lyn Coffin's "Ave Maria Played Softly" (Oct. 9-19), and the Irish musical "The Borstal Boy" (Oct. 23-26). For additional theater productions, see Theater and Opera, below. Web: [comnet.org/Pnetwork](http://comnet.org/Pnetwork)

**U-M Office of Major Events.** Michigan Union, 530 S. State. 763-TKTS. The Michigan Union's office of cultural and entertainment programming, with an emphasis on American and international popular cultures. Concerts are presented at the Power Center, Hill Auditorium, and other U-M venues. Call for schedule of events or access their Web site at [www.umich.edu/~mevents](http://www.umich.edu/~mevents)

**U-M University Activities Center.** Michigan Union, 530 S. State. 763-1107. An umbrella organization for several U-M student organizations, including the U-M Comedy Company (fall and

spring shows), U-M MUSKET (fall and spring Broadway musicals at the Power Center), and Impact Dance Theater (spring dance concert). Also, the **Viewpoint Lecture Series** features occasional talks by prominent speakers on various political and social controversies.

**University Musical Society.** Burton Memorial Tower. 764-2538. A financially independent nonprofit organization associated with the U-M, the 119-year-old UMS presents one of the country's oldest and most revered concert series. The Choral Union series (in Hill Auditorium) and the Chamber Arts series (in Rackham Auditorium) feature top international orchestras, chamber ensembles, and soloists. Other events (Hill Auditorium, Rackham Auditorium, Power Center, the Michigan Theater, Lydia Mendelssohn Theater, St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church, and U-M Museum of Art), available in various series packages, range from Donald Byrd's "Harlem Nutcracker" to guitarist Pat Metheny to the MET Orchestra. Web: [www.ums.org](http://www.ums.org)

**1997-1998 Choral Union series:** the Chicago Symphony Orchestra (Sept. 25), the Estonian Philharmonic Chamber Choir with Tallinn Chamber Orchestra (Oct. 9), Hakan Hagegard (Nov. 8), the Orpheus Chamber Orchestra (Nov. 19), the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra (Jan. 10), the St. Paul Chamber Orchestra (Feb. 6), Royal Concertgebouw (Feb. 11), the Russian National Orchestra (Mar. 24), Evgeny Kissin (Apr. 13), and The MET Orchestra (May 1).

**1997-1998 Chamber Arts series:** Chamber Music with Members of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra (Sept. 27), the Orchestra of St. Luke's Chamber Ensemble (Oct. 12), pianist Ursula Oppens (Nov. 14), the American String Quartet (Nov. 16), the Tokyo String Quartet (Jan. 22), the Petersen String Quartet (Feb. 19), the Australian Chamber Orchestra (Mar. 25), and the Hagen String Quartet (Apr. 29).

**Other 1997-1998 events:** A special "Beethoven the Contemporary" series with the American String Quartet (Nov. 16, Jan. 30, & Mar. 29) and pianist Ursula Oppens (Nov. 14, Jan. 31, & Mar. 27). Also, mezzo-soprano Cecilia Bartoli (Sept. 21), the Chicago Symphony Orchestra with violinist Nadja Salerno-Sonnenberg (Sept. 26), Pat Metheny Group (Oct. 3), Moscow Conservatory Chamber

Ensemble (Oct. 8), the Estonian Philharmonic Chamber Choir (Oct. 11), Guitar Summit IV (Oct. 16), Marilyn Horne (Oct. 25), Gabrieli Consort and Players (Oct. 26), Celia Cruz with Jose Alberto, "El Canario" (Nov. 7), the Tnuatron Dance Theater (Nov. 15), Itzhak Perlman, "In the Fiddler's House: A Klezmer Summit" (Dec. 2), Handel's "Messiah" (Dec. 6 & 7), Donald Byrd/The Group's "The Harlem Nutcracker" (Dec. 11-14), countertenor David Daniels (Jan. 9), "A Tribute to Andres Segovia" with guitarist Christopher Parkening (Jan. 11), the Boys Choir of Harlem (Jan. 18), the Dale Warland Singers (Feb. 5), the Canadian Brass (Feb. 8), Juan-Jose Mosalini and His Grand Tango Orchestra (Feb. 13), Chen Zimbalista (Feb. 14), pianist Chick Corea and Gary Burton, vibes (Feb. 20), pianist Jean-Yves Thibaudet (Mar. 10), the New York City Opera National Company performing Donizetti's "Daughter of the Regiment" (Mar. 12-14), Los Munequitos de Matanzas (Mar. 18), the Batsheva Dance Company of Israel (Mar. 21 & 22), Paco de Lucia and His Flamenco Orchestra (Mar. 28), Streb/Ringside: POACTION (Apr. 3 & 4), mezzo-soprano Suzanne Mentzer (Apr. 7), The Harp Consort with "Luz y Norte" (Apr. 23), and Marsalis/Stravinsky, a world-premiere performance of a composition by Wynton Marsalis (Apr. 24).

**Washtenaw Community College Performing Arts Department.** 4800 E. Huron River Dr. 677-5090. The department features monthly performances of "New Voices Rising," showcasing works of forensics and drama students. Additional events include Songwriting and Song Production Cafe, an end-of-the-semester showcase of dance and music students, and other musical theater activities. The department is also home to the Washtenaw Community College Community Jazz Orchestra, an ensemble focusing on family and community involvement. A Diversified Combo Ensemble performs at the Montreux/Detroit Jazz Festival as well as in the Ann Arbor area.

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
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### DANCE

**Ann Arbor Ballet Theater**, CAS Ballet Studio, 548 Church. 668-1001. Carol Sharp Radovic directs this 16-year-old local troupe. Auditions are held in September. 1997-1998 season: "The Nutcracker" at the Power Center (Dec. dates to be announced) and a spring show (dates to be announced).

**Ann Arbor Civic Ballet**, Sylvia Studio of Dance, 525 E. Liberty. 668-8066. Founded in 1954, the Civic Ballet was the first chartered ballet company in Michigan. Directed by Lee Ann King, the company performs once or twice a year. Programs often feature guest choreographers. Open auditions in September.

1997-1998 concerts (dates to be announced).

**Ann Arbor Dance Works**, U-M Dance Department, 1310 North University Ct. 763-5460. A nationally renowned U-M company in residence directed by U-M dance faculty members Gaylanche, Bill DeYoung, Sandra Torijano DeYoung, Jessica Fogel, Stephen Rush, Evelyn Velez-Aguilar and Robin Wilson. The company includes several grad students from the U-M dance program. 1997-1998 season includes a fall show (Sept. 25-28) and a spring concert (Apr. 24 & 25).

**Co-Lateral Dance Collective**, P.O. Box 7946, 48107. 662-9372. Founded in 1995, this local dance company is dedicated to providing performance opportunities for local choreographers, dancers, and musicians. Directed by Amanda Stanger-Reed, the 1997-1998 season includes a fall show (Sept. 25-28) and a spring show (to be announced).

**Dance Gallery Foundation**, 111 Third. 747-8888. This dance organization sponsors **Peter Sparling Co.**, a professional modern dance company, led by Peter Sparling, which performs locally and throughout the Midwest. Dance Gallery Studio offers dance and movement classes for children through adults.

## little theaters

### Ann Arbor's off-off-Broadway Four lesser-known performing spaces

Any regular Ann Arbor theatergoer knows about the traveling plays that come to the Power Center and the major local productions at Lydia Mendelssohn and the Ann Arbor Civic theaters. Most are familiar with Chelsea's Purple Rose, and with the Performance Network, whose artistic vitality more than compensates for lack of candelabra and red carpets in its former west-side factory. But even those veterans may have yet to discover some of the city's other little pockets of enchantment—small theaters flourishing in a modest way out of the general view.

The **Towsley Auditorium** at Washtenaw Community College is a prime example. In addition to hosting an abundance of WCC student performances, from the annual Jazzfest in the spring to the International Celebration in the winter, Towsley is the preferred venue of numerous community performing groups. Last year saw concerts by the Sweet Adelines chorus, the Ann Arbor Highlanders bagpipes and drums corps, and the Wayne State University Opera Workshop. It's a sweetly proportioned, inviting space—"a little jewel," say members of the Wild Swan Theater Company, a local professional troupe that performs plays for children there.

There are some practical difficulties, however. The lobby area is also rentable, and simultaneous bookings can leave performers vying with the noise of steel drums outside the door. Planned renovations should clean up problem areas and modernize equipment. Towsley is "a diamond in the rough," according to Michelle Trame Lanzi, manager of the Wild Swan. "Once they go through with their plans, it'll be a true diamond." In September, the Wild Swan will put on *Frog and Toad*, a play for three- to eight-year-olds, at Towsley. The WCC Interna-

tional Celebration is scheduled for January. For information on other events, call Arlene Lynch at 677-5033.

Variety is also the spice of life at the U-M's **Arena Stage**, located in the Frieze Building. Community groups rent the space—a black box with complete flexibility as far as stage shape and size. During the school year, it's the atomic playground of U-M theater students in the Basement Arts group, a testing ground for their skill and courage. There's no point asking what kind of productions are staged there: it could be anything. Last year the group produced a very ambitious season, including student originals and plays by Harold Pinter, Lanford Wilson, Edward Albee, David Mamet, Eric Bogosian, and even a play by comedian Steve Martin, as well as Stephen Sondheim's challenging musical, *Assassins*. The theater is tiny—it holds 100 people, including cast and crew—which makes for an intense if unpredictable experience for the audience. The schedule for the new school year was not determined at press time; call Basement Arts at 764-6800 for information.

The **Campbell Center for the Performing Arts**, which recently opened at Greenhills School, and the **Schreiber Auditorium**, at Pioneer High School, are testing grounds for even younger student artists. Both theaters are pure joy: the Campbell Center has state-of-the-art lighting and surround sound, and Schreiber Auditorium has acoustics that make the air feel alive even when the space is all but empty. Pioneer students use it for classics, musicals, drama from Shakespeare to Sartre, and concerts of all kinds. Schreiber is also home to the All City Players, which includes students from Huron and Community high schools as well as Pioneer. The Campbell Center's season had not been determined at press time; call Jim Posante at Greenhills School, 769-4010. The Pioneer Theater Guild will be performing the musical *Once Upon A Mattress* in October and *The Birthday of the Infanta* in February, both in the Schreiber Auditorium. For more information, call Phil Walker at 994-2128.

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Chamber Chorale: "An Artistic Christmas Concert," 4:00 p.m., December 14, 1997, U-M Art Museum. A second program is planned for April 19, 1998.

For information regarding membership and auditions,  
call the Choral Union office at 313.763.8997



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Angell Hall (Auditoriums A-D), U-M, 435 S. State St., E6  
 Ann Arbor Civic Theater, 2275 Platt Rd. at Huron Pkwy., I7  
 Ann Arbor District Library, 343 S. Fifth Ave. at William St., B5  
 Ann Arbor Hands-On Museum, in the old firehouse,  
 219 E. Huron St. at N. Fifth Ave., A3  
 Ann Arbor Theater, 210 S. Fifth Ave., A4  
 The Ark, 316 S. Main St., I4  
 Bird of Paradise, 207 S. Ashley St., I3  
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 Burton Tower, U-M, North University Ave. at Ingalls Mall, E4  
 Canham Natatorium, 1000 S. State St., B8  
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 Crisler Arena, U-M, E. Stadium Blvd., B9  
 Dance Building (Betty Pease Studio Theater), U-M, 1310 North  
 University Ct. at Geddes Ave. and Washtenaw Ave., G5

Dance Gallery Studio, 111 Third St., G3  
 Frieze Building (Arena Stage, Trueblood Theater), U-M,  
 105 S. State St. at Washington St., D4  
 Hale Auditorium (School of Business Administration), U-M,  
 904 Monroe St., F9  
 Harlan Hatcher Graduate Library, U-M Diag., E6  
 Hill Auditorium, U-M, 825 North University Ave. at  
 Thayer St., D5  
 Hillel Foundation, 1429 Hill St., I8  
 Kelsey Museum of Archaeology, U-M, 434 S. State St., D6  
 Kempf House, 312 S. Division St., B5  
 Kerrytown Concert House, 415 N. Fourth Ave. near  
 Kingsley St., I1  
 Law Library (Law Quad), U-M, 1210 Legal Research Building,  
 S. State St., E8  
 Lorch Hall, U-M, 611 Tappan Ave. at Monroe St., F8  
 Mainstreet Comedy Showcase, 314 E. Liberty St., B5

Lydia Mendelsohn Theater (Michigan League), U-M,  
 911 North University Ave. at Fletcher St., E5  
 Michigan League, U-M, 911 North University Ave. at  
 Fletcher St., E5  
 Michigan Stadium, E. Stadium Blvd. & S. Main St., A9  
 Michigan Theater, 603 E. Liberty St. at Maynard St., C4  
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 South University Ave., D7  
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 South University Ave., E7  
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 830 North University Ave. at Thayer St., D5  
 People Dancing Studio, 111 Third St., G3  
 Performance Network, 408 W. Washington St., G3

Power Center, U-M, 121 Fletcher St. at Huron St., E4  
 Rackham Building, U-M, 915 E. Washington St. Auditorium  
 (also known as Lecture Hall), first floor. Amphitheater, fourth  
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 701 East University Ave. at Hill St., G8  
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 610 East University Ave., G8  
 State Theater, 233 S. State St., D4  
 Track and Tennis Building, U-M, S. State St. south of  
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1997-1998 local season includes "showcase" performances and residency at Estabrook Elementary in Ypsilanti (Nov. dates to be announced), appearance at the Ann Arbor Film Festival opening in March, the annual Sparling repertory workshop and appearance at the Ann Arbor Summer Festival in June, and open houses at Dance Gallery Studio (Oct. 12 and May date to be announced).

**The Hundredth Monkey**, P.O. Box 7172, AA 48107. 995-2972. Led by local performance artist Jesse Richards, former director of Sister Earth, this new performance ensemble blends dance and musical theater in works that promote social, political, and spiritual awareness. It performs one or two shows a year in town and tours nationally. 1997-1998 season includes "The Animal Lover's Project" at the Performance Network (Dec. 4-7).

**Jazz Dance Theater**, 711 North University. 995-4242. Directed by Adam Clark, this local eight-member company performs original contemporary choreography that blends jazz, modern, and classical ballet techniques. 1997-1998 season: fall concert at Lydia Mendelssohn Theater (Oct. 3 & 4), and the Third Annual Spring Benefit Concert at the Power Center (dates to be announced). Also performs at the Miss Washtenaw County Pageant (Oct. 25).

**People Dancing**, 111 Third. 930-1949. A popular local company with a growing national reputation, People Dancing features the inventive postmodern choreography of artistic director Whitley Setrakian. 1997-1998 season includes fall and spring concerts at the Performance Network (dates to be announced).

**U-M Dance Department**, 1310 North University Ct. 763-5460. The University Dance Company features U-M dance students performing the choreography of U-M dance faculty and guest artists in an annual show at the Power Center. The dance department also sponsors an annual Guest Artist Series, and student choreographers present their work in concerts held throughout the year in the Betty Pease Studio Theater in the Dance Building. 1997-1998 season: University Dance Company: "The Choreography of Geography" (Feb. 5-8). Guest Artist Series: an Alumni Concert (Oct. 3-4).

### FAMILY & KIDS STUFF

**Ann Arbor Public Schools Community Education and Recreation**, 2765 Boardwalk. 994-2300. Rec and Ed and the Ann Arbor Civic Theater cosponsor two theater troupes for middle and high school students, **Junior Theater** ("Stuart Little" Dec. 5-7 and "Heidi" Mar. 27-29) and the **Strolling Players** (late July show to be announced). Students in the department's dance classes perform in the annual **Dance Fair** (May 17). Also, three adult volunteer musical ensembles: The **Ann Arbor Civic Chorus** performs concerts in Dec. and Apr.; the **Swing Singers** perform concerts in Feb. and May; and the **Ann Arbor Civic Band** performs nine summer concerts, including six concerts in West Park on Wednesday nights beginning June 24.

**Wild Swan Theater**, 416 W. Huron. 995-0530. Codirected by Hilary Cohen and Sandy Ryder, this nonprofit adult touring troupe performs high-quality

children's theater with a special focus on accessibility for hearing and visually impaired and low-income children. Local performances are at Washtenaw Community College. 1997-1998 local season: "Frog and Toad" (Sept. 26 & 27), "Town Mouse & Country Mouse" (Nov. 21-23), "Owl's Winter" (Jan. 23 & 24), "Once Upon A Time" (Mar. 13 & 14), and "A Thousand Cranes" (Apr. 24-26). Also, performances at the New Year's Jubilee in Ypsilanti (Dec. 31).

**Young Actor's Guild**, P.O. Box 130202, AA 48113-0202. 930-1614. Founded and directed by Sue Roe, this three-year-old company offers theater education and performance opportunities for young actors. The guild has four performing companies: the **Lights Up Company** for actors ages 13-25, the **Pocket Theater Company** for mature, experienced actors, the **Apprentice Company** for actors ages 8-12, and the **Fast Fable Company**, a troupe for ages 8-16 that performs largely improvised storytelling plays at the district library, Kerrytown, and other places around town. YAG also offers classes, workshops, and internships. 1997-1998 season: "The Snow Queen" at Haisley School (Nov. 6-8 & 13-15), "The Italian Straw Hat" and "The Miracle Worker" in repertory at Riverside Art Center in Ypsilanti (Dec. 5-7 & 11-13), "Gulliver's Travels" at Lydia Mendelssohn Theater (Jan. 28-31), "Rip Van Winkle" and "The Prince and the Pauper" at Haisley School (Mar. 26-28 & Apr. 2-4), and "Cyrano de Bergerac" at Lydia Mendelssohn Theater (May 28-31).

**Young People's Theater**, 2301 Packard. 996-3888. Ann Arbor's oldest theater troupe for young actors offers classes and three annual productions at the Ann Arbor Civic Theater for young people age 5 through high school. The **YPT theater choir** performs show tunes from Broadway musicals at such venues as the Ann Arbor District Library and the annual Top of the Park. The new **Repertory Theater Company** is a year-long performance troupe of high school students who perform at various schools throughout the year. YPT also offers an annual "Creating the Magic" workshop in August. Open auditions. 1997-1998 season dates: Oct. 30-Nov. 2, Mar. 19-22, & May 28-June 1 (titles to be announced).

### LECTURES & READINGS

**Ann Arbor Poetry Slam**, upstairs at the Heidelberg restaurant, 214 N. Main. 426-3451. Now in its ninth year, the monthly Poetry Slam features locally, regionally, or nationally prominent guest poets, along with open mike readings and a semiserious tournament-style poetry competition. First Tuesday of the month, 7:30-10:30 p.m.

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**U-M English Department Hopwood Program**, Hopwood Room, 1176 Angell Hall, 435 S. State. 764-6296. The U-M English department and Borders Books and Music cosponsor readings throughout the academic year, usually in the Rackham Building Amphitheater or Auditorium, by a wide variety of up-and-coming and established poets and fiction writers. The program also sponsors the guest speakers at the two Hopwood Awards ceremonies, Grace Paley (Jan. 27) and John Barth (Apr. 21).

1997-1998 Visiting Writers: fiction writers Chris Mazza (Oct. 2), Susan Richards Shreve (Nov. 3), Janet Kauffman (Nov. 11), and Jonis Agee (Dec. 2); and poets Richard Tillinghast (Sept. 22), Mark Doty (Oct. 7), Charles Wright (Oct. 30), Keith Taylor (Nov. 18), and Laurence Goldstein (Jan. 29). Also, "Writers Harvest for SOS" (Oct. 23), with readings by Nicholas Delbanco, Wendy Hammond, and Thylas Moss. Additional readings to be announced.

**U-M Guild House Campus Ministry**, 802 Monroe. 662-5189. During the academic year (Sept.-May), this nondenominational campus ministry sponsors poetry and fiction readings by campus, local, and area writers (every Mon. 8:30-10 p.m.) and other programs to be announced.

## THEATER & OPERA

**Ann Arbor Civic Theater**, 2275 Platt, south of Washtenaw. 971-AACT (971-2228). This 68-year-old nonprofit theater produces a full season of entertaining stage shows from the best of Broadway and Off-Broadway. The Civic's Playhouse on Platt is also home to the Ann Arbor Public Schools Community Recreation and Education Department's Junior Theater, which presents family shows performed by students in grades 6-12. All performances are at the Playhouse unless otherwise noted.

1997-1998 season: Neil Simon's "Lost in Yonkers" at the Lydia Mendelssohn Theater (Sept. 18-21), Paula Vogel's "The Baltimore Waltz" (Oct. 16-26), Stephen Sondheim and Hugh Wheeler's "A Little Night Music" (Nov. 13-23), David McGilivray and Walter Zerin Jr.'s "The Farndale Avenue Housing Estate Townswomen's Guild Society's Production of a Christmas Carol" (Dec. 11-21), George Kaufman and Moss Hart's "You Can't Take It With You" (Jan. 22-Feb. 1), "Benefit Cabaret Evening" (Feb. 13 & 14), Roger Miller and William Hauptman's "Big River" (Mar. 5-15), Shakespeare's "Merchant of Venice" (Apr. 16-26), Andrew Lloyd Webber and Tim Rice's "Jesus Christ Superstar" at the Lydia Mendelssohn Theater (May 14-17), and Brian Friel's "Dancing at Lughnasa" (June 11-21).

1997-1998 Junior Theater season: "Stuart Little" (Dec. 5-7) and "Heidi" (Mar. 27-29).

**The Comic Opera Guild**, P.O. Box 1922, AA 48106. 973-3264. The brainchild of opera buff Tom Petiet, this local and touring nonprofit company performs everything from Mozart to modern comic opera. This season the Guild celebrates its 25th anniversary. 1997-1998 season: "Orpheus and the Underworld" at the Lydia Mendelssohn Theater (Feb. 26-Mar. 1), and an October dinner theater production (dates and title to be announced).

**Common Ground Theater Ensemble**, P.O. Box 7136, AA 48107. 764-6395. This veteran local company focuses on issues of social change, with particular emphasis on the work of women, minorities, and handicapped artists. They perform throughout Ann Arbor and tour the Midwest and the East Coast. 1997 fall show dates to be announced.

**Concordia College Theater**, 4090 Geddes. 995-4612. Produces three shows each year performed by Concordia students. Also produces the Boar's Head Festival, a musical Christmas pageant based on medieval English tradition, now in its twentieth year. 1997-1998 season includes Shakespeare's "A Midsummer Night's Dream" (Oct. 23-25).

**EMU Drama Series**, 103 Quirk Bldg., EMU campus, Ypsilanti 48197. 487-1221. EMU students perform several shows a year at the Quirk-Sponberg theaters. 1997-1998 season opens with a repertory comedy festival that includes productions of Neil Simon's "Good Doctor" (Oct. 9-12 & 25) and Anton Chekhov's "The Cherry Orchard" (Oct. 17-19, 23 & 24). Also, Frank Loesser, Jo Swerling, and Abe Burrow's Tony Award-winning musical "Guys and Dolls" (Nov. 21-23 & Dec. 2-6), Mark St. Germain and Randy Courts's "The Gifts of the Magi" (Dec. 13-21), Maxwell Anderson's "Anne of a Thousand Days" (Mar. 6-8 & 12-14), and a children's theater performance to be announced (Apr. 10-12).

**Performance Network**, 408 W. Washington. 663-0681. The nonprofit Performance Network produces a wide range of drama and other performances. It is introducing the *Professional Premieres Series* this year in anticipation of its plans to become a professional Equity theater this fall. It features three world premieres and three nationally acclaimed plays, two of which are Michigan premieres. 1997-1998 season: Tony award-winner Brian Friel's "Molly Sweeney" (Sept. 4-7, 11-14, & 18-21), the Michigan premiere of Lisa Loomer's "The Waiting Room" (Nov. 13-16, 20-23, & 27-30), the world premiere of Larry Dean Harris's "Inverted Pyramid" (Feb. 12-15, 19-22, & Feb. 26-Mar. 1), the world premiere of local playwright Ari Roth's "Refused" (Mar. 26-29, Apr. 2-5 & 9-12), the world premiere of Michael Grady's "White Picket Fence" (May 14-17, 21-24, & 28-31), and the Michigan premiere of Suzan-Lori Parks's Obie award-winning "Imperceptible Mutabilities in the Third Kingdom" (July 9-12, 16-19, & 23-26). For information on guest artists productions see General Arts Series. Web: [comnet.org/PNetwork](http://comnet.org/PNetwork)

**Purple Rose Theater Company**, Garage Theater, 137 Park St., Chelsea. 475-5817. Founded by movie actor (and Chelsea resident) Jeff Daniels, this six-year-old theater company produces four plays a year, with an emphasis on works by Midwestern playwrights and/or on Midwestern themes. 1997-1998 season: a revival of Jeff Daniels's popular comedy from 1995, "Escanaba in da Moonlight" (Sept. 18-Nov. 23), Kristine Thatcher's "Apparitions" (Jan. 22-Mar. 14), a new play by Lanford Wilson (Apr. 2-May 24), and Steven Dietz's "Private Eyes" (June 18-Aug. 9).

**St. Andrew's Players**, St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, 306 N. Division. 663-0518. Southeast Michigan's oldest active liturgical repertory company, this nonprofit group performs both liturgical drama and secular works in the chancel of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church.

**The Stage Presence Ltd.**, 1434 Hatcher Crescent. 995-1797. This local troupe produces family-oriented stage plays, musicals, and variety shows. Proceeds are donated to local charities. 1997-1998 season includes a variety show (spring dates to be announced).

**U-M Basement Arts Theater**, 2550 Frieze Bldg., 105 S. State. 764-6800. This eight-year-old U-M student-run theater organization produces several plays a month at the Arena Stage in the Frieze Bldg. All performances are free.

**U-M Gilbert & Sullivan Society**, Michigan League, 911 North University. 761-7855. Founded in 1947, this popular local company performs the major and obscure works of the renowned British musical team in fall and spring shows at Lydia Mendelssohn Theater. 1997-1998 season: "Princess Ida" (Dec. 4-7) and "Ruddigore" (Apr. 2-5).

**U-M School of Music Productions**, Michigan League, 911 North University. 764-0450. Produces shows by the U-M music school's major student companies in the Lydia Mendelssohn and Trueblood theaters and the Power Center. 1997-1998 season: *U-M Theater Department*: Christopher Durang's "The Marriage of Bette and Boo" (Oct. 9-12 & 16-19), Kevin O'Morrison's "Ladyhouse Blues" (Nov. 20-23), Shakespeare's "Henry V" (Dec. 4-7), Hopwood and Gray's "The Best People" (Feb. 12-15), and Sophocles's "Antigone" (Apr. 2-5 & 9-12). *Musical Theater Program*: Stephen Sondheim's "Sweeney Todd" (Oct. 16-19) and Bernstein and Sondheim's "West Side Story" (Apr. 16-19). *Opera Theater*: Maurice Ravel and Igor Stravinsky's "Ravel/Stravinsky" (Nov. 13-16) and a second opera to be announced (Mar. 26-29). *Dance Department*: "The Choreography of Geography" with dances by Merce Cunningham and faculty choreographers (Feb. 5-8).

**Walk & Squawk Performance Project**, 122 E. Mosley. 668-0407. An Ann Arbor-based company that emphasizes physical and visual theater, Walk & Squawk produces interdisciplinary performances and workshops throughout southeast Michigan. 1997-1998 season: a South African collaboration "Inhlanzi Ishelwe Amanzi" (dates to be announced), "No Time for Roses" (dates to be announced), a creation of Shameless Rainbow Youth Theater, Hilary Ramsden, and Ericka Block titled "Looking for the Line" (dates to be announced), and the premiere of Hilary Ramsden's "How Could You Stoop So Low?" (Feb. dates to be announced). E-mail: [walksquawk@aol.com](mailto:walksquawk@aol.com)

**Workers' Lives**, 1111 Catherine. 764-6395. This troupe, which produces theater reflecting the lives and values of working-class people, performs in Ann Arbor a few times a year and tours the U.S. throughout the year.

## VOCAL & INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

**Ann Arbor Cantata Singers**, P.O. Box 8147, AA 48107. 434-4107. This highly regarded 50-voice professional chorus is dedicated to performing the central works of the choral repertoire, from the Renaissance to twentieth-century music. Conductor is William Boggs. 1997-1998 concerts: Christmas concert (Dec. 6 & 7), spring concerts (May 2 & 3), and an Outreach Concert (date to be announced).

**Ann Arbor Concert Band**, P.O. Box 1843, AA 48105. 663-4451. This volunteer ensemble performs a repertoire of classics, marches, and wind ensemble music in a series of free concerts, usually Sunday afternoons at Huron High School.

**Ann Arbor Festival of Song**. 475-4596. Established in 1994, this organization offers year-round presentations of art song and vocal chamber music concerts, recitals, and special events held at various local venues. Performances include the annual Art Fair Song Fest in July during the Ann Arbor Art Fairs. Please call for schedule information.

**Ann Arbor Recorder Society**, 2612 Engle Ave. Dr. 665-5758. This local volunteer organization includes a 20-member ensemble and various small consorts that play Baroque and modern works. Rehearsals on the first Monday of each month at Forsythe Middle School, and an annual concert in June.

**Ann Arbor Symphony Orchestra**, 527 E. Liberty, Suite 208B. 994-4801. Founded in 1928, the AASO begins its sixth season under the leadership of Samuel Wong, who also conducts with the New York Philharmonic and Honolulu Symphony. Concerts are in the Michigan Theater. 1997-1998 season: "Love Songs from the Opera" featuring area vocalists Robert Bracey, Chris Grapentine, Larry Henkel, Lisa Nielsen, and Barbara Wiltzie (Sept. 6), "Bruckner's Eighth Symphony" (Oct. 4), "Viennese Winter Fest," featuring waltzes by Strauss and Mozart's "Toy Symphony" with local youngsters soloing on the toy instruments (Dec. 14), "Mozart Birthday Bash," including the winner of the 1997 Youth Competition playing a wind or brass

concert with the orchestra (Jan. 24), "And all that Jazz" with charismatic virtuoso pianist Flavio Varani (Mar. 14), and "Season Finale" with Ann Arbor's own soprano Katherine Larson (Apr. 25). Web: [www.wvnet.com/~a2so](http://www.wvnet.com/~a2so)

**Ann Arbor Youth Choral**, 1100 N. Main, Suite 111. 996-4404. Ruth Datz, Richard Ingram, Donald Williams, and Shayla Powell direct this 100-member ensemble of boys and girls ages 9-14. The Youth Choral includes a concert choir and a training choir. Auditions are held in September. 1997-1998 season includes concerts in December and May (dates to be announced).

**Boychoir of Ann Arbor**, 306 N. Division. 663-5377. Now in its twelfth year, this 40-member choir, founded and directed by St. Andrew's Episcopal Church music director Thomas Strode, usually performs two or three concerts a year in St. Andrew's, as well as a growing number of out-of-town performances. There is also a 16-boy preparatory choir. 1997-1998 local season: two Christmas concerts (Dec. 20) and a spring concert (date to be announced).

**Choral Connection**. 769-1655. This mixed-voice vocal ensemble sings a variety of vintage and current popular music throughout the year at both public and private events. Directed by Carolyn Burnstein.

**County Connection Chorus of Sweet Adelines**, P.O. Box 970597, Ypsilanti 48197. Call Paula, 995-4110. This chorus is the local chapter of the Sweet Adelines, an international organization for women who enjoy singing four-part barbershop music. Rehearsals are held every Tuesday at UAW Local 898 Union Hall, 8975 Textile Rd., Ypsilanti. 1997-1998 season: numerous performances throughout the year (dates to be announced). Call for more information.

**Galliard Brass Ensemble**, 1142 Sullivan. 995-5688. This versatile local brass ensemble plays classical, ragtime, pop, and original arrangements. A favorite for weddings and social engagements, Galliard also performs in concerts throughout the Midwest, including two or three times a year locally. 1997-1998 local concert season includes the annual "Holiday Brass Concert" at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church (Dec. date to be announced) and other performances to be announced.

**Huron Valley Chapter of the SPEBSQSA**, P.O. Box 1021, AA 48106. 668-7916. The local branch of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America is a 40-member male chorus directed by James Stephens. The chorus performs an annual concert at the Power Center (Mar. 7).

**Michigan Sinfonietta**, 431 Somerset Ct. 769-2988. Founded in 1988, this Ann Arbor-based chamber orchestra performs primarily in Michigan on a contractual basis. Recent collaborations have included such local organizations as the Ann Arbor Cantata Singers, the Plymouth Oratorio Society, the Ann Arbor Ballet Theater, the Michigan Theater's Silent Movie series, Ypsilanti High School, Eastern Michigan University, and numerous area churches.

**Our Lady's Madrigal Singers**, P.O. Box 3302, AA 48106-3302. 483-1732. This local ensemble performs Renaissance madrigal music in period costumes, in Ann Arbor and at the Renaissance Festival in Holly, Michigan. 1997-1998 season: two to three concerts to be announced, and caroling at various downtown locations and private parties during the Christmas season.

**Our Own Thing Choral**, 3117 Overridge. 677-4407. Directed by U-M voice professor Willis Patterson, this choral ensemble, with members from Ann Arbor, Ypsilanti, Saline, Brighton, and Flint, is dedicated to performing the music of Afro-American composers. The chorus usually presents two concerts a year, at Christmas time and in the spring, in Bethel A.M.E. Church on John A. Woods Dr.

**Society for Musical Arts**, 2215 Devonshire. 665-7408, 930-0353. This 33-year-old volunteer organization presents six concerts annually by prominent local and regional classical musicians, to raise funds for annual music competitions. The Wednesday concerts are held at 10:30 a.m. in the Ann Arbor Women's City Club. 1997-1998 season: the popular local song duo Bolcom & Morris (Sept. 24), this year's SMA competition winner (Oct. 8), violinist Melissa White (Oct. 22), and performers to be announced (Mar. 11, Apr. 1, & Apr. 29).

**U-M Museum of Art**, 525 S. State at South University. 764-0395. The UMMA sponsors a series of concerts, frequently by local ensembles, and usually directly connected with specific exhibits. Check the monthly Observer Calendar listing for specific dates and times. Web: [www.umich.edu/~umma](http://www.umich.edu/~umma)

**U-M School of Music**, 3225 Moore Bldg., AA 48109. 764-0594. The music school provides a great deal of the top-quality musical entertainment in Ann Arbor. Its faculty and students present hundreds of concerts every year, both in solo recitals and as



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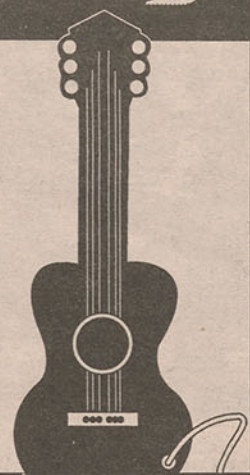
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members of various excellent music school ensembles. Performances are held at the music school and other campus locations, and they are almost always free. The U-M also hosts two conferences that include free concerts open to the public, a Conference on Organ Music (Oct. 12-15) and the annual Midwestern Conference on School Vocal and Instrumental Music (Jan. 22-24). Web: [www.music.umich.edu](http://www.music.umich.edu)

1997-1998 schedule: U-M music faculty: pianist Arthur Green (Sept. 14), flutist Fenwick Smith (Sept. 16), and many others to be announced, including several concerts by the Michigan Chamber Players (Sept. 21, Dec. 7, Jan. 11, & Feb. 15), a music faculty chamber ensemble with a lineup that varies from concert to concert. U-M music student ensembles: Arts Chorale (Nov. 25 & Apr. 8), Bandorama (Oct. 4), Campus Band (Nov. 12, Mar. 20, & Apr. 15), Campus Philharmonia Orchestra (Nov. 13 & Apr. 16), Campus Symphony Orchestra (Nov. 11 & Apr. 5), Chamber Choir (Oct. 17, Nov. 18, Dec. 8, & Apr. 16), Collage Concert (Jan. 23), Concert Band (Oct. 22, Nov. 21, Feb. 13, Mar. 20, & Apr. 17), Contemporary Directions Ensemble (Oct. 18, Dec. 6, Feb. 7, & Apr. 18), Creative Arts Orchestra (Dec. 4 & Apr. 9), Digital Music Ensemble (Nov. 22 & 23), Early Music Ensemble (Dec. 2 & Apr. 14), Jazz Ensemble (Nov. 20 & Apr. 16), Men's Glee Club (Nov. 22 & Apr. 18), Michigan Youth Ensembles (Nov. 24 & Mar. 16), Mozart Birthday Concert (Jan. 27), Opera Workshop (Dec. 1-6 & Apr. 6-10), Percussion Ensemble (Dec. 7), Saxophone Studio Recital (Nov. 18 & Apr. 13), Symphony Band (Oct. 24, Nov. 21, Dec. 10, Feb. 13, Mar. 20, & Apr. 17), University Choir (Oct. 28, Dec. 8, Feb. 18 & 20, and Apr. 7), University Philharmonia (Oct. 7 & 21, Nov. 18, Dec. 9, and Feb. 10), University Symphony Chamber Orchestra (Nov. 18), University Symphony Orchestra (Sept. 30, Oct. 2, Dec. 9, Feb. 3 & 24, Mar. 31, and Apr. 21), Vocal Arts Day (Jan. 17), Wind Ensembles (Oct. 10 & Apr. 3), and Women's Glee Club (Nov. 15 & Apr. 4). Also, the University Symphony and Philharmonia Orchestras present the annual Halloween Concert (Oct. 26).

Vocal Arts Ensemble, 1449 Covington. 996-9635. This five-year-old local ensemble is comprised of 16 male and female trained singers and choral educators, dedicated to performing chamber works of various styles. Performs two concerts a year.

## POP, ROCK, BLUES, & JAZZ

Ann Arbor Blues and Jazz Festival, P.O. Box 8125, AA 48107. 747-9955. Now in its sixth year, this annual four-day festival (1997 dates: Sept. 4-7) features Friday and Saturday evening concerts at the Bird of Paradise, a Friday night concert and Thursday night films at the Michigan Theater, and Saturday and Sunday shows at Gallup Park. At the Bird of Paradise on Fri. & Sat.: Kurt Elling Quartet. At the Michigan Theater on Fri.: Buddy Guy and Johnnie Bassett and the Blues Insurgents. At Gallup Park, on Sat.: Medeski Martin & Wood, the Don Byron Quartet, Big Jack Johnson & the Oilers, Lavelle White, Mudpuppy, and Lady Sunshine with the X Band; on Sun.: Marcia Ball, Beau Jocque & the Zydeco Hi-Rollers, Honeyboy Edwards, the Paul Keller Sextet, Transmission, and a gospel group to be announced.

Prism Productions, P.O. Box 8125, AA 48107. 665-4755. This 18-year-old local music production company presents more than 100 concerts annually in theaters and nightclubs throughout southern Michigan, including Ann Arbor. They also operate as a booking agent and provide consultation for special events from weddings to festivals. Prism concerts run the full gamut of popular music, from rock 'n' roll to blues, jazz, zydeco, reggae, and folk, as well as occasional comedy acts. Prominent fall 1997 bookings include the Ann Arbor Blues and Jazz Festival (Sept. 5 at the Michigan Theater and Sept. 6 & 7 at Gallup Park), African blues singer Cesaria Evora at the Michigan Theater (Oct. 17), and "Monk on Monk: A Tribute to Thelonius Monk" at the Michigan Theater (Oct. 29) featuring Thelonius Monk's son and members of Monk's original band. Web: [www.99music.com](http://www.99music.com)

## TRADITIONAL & ETHNIC MUSIC

Ann Arbor Council for Traditional Music and Dance. 769-1052. This local organization sponsors a square and contra dance at the Pittsfield Grange the first Saturday of each month, along with occasional concerts. It also sponsors an English country dance workshop series on alternate Tuesdays 7:30 p.m. at the Chapel Hill condominium commons room.

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## 1997~1998 SCHEDULE

### 1997

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### 1998

January 18 Birmingham Methodist Church  
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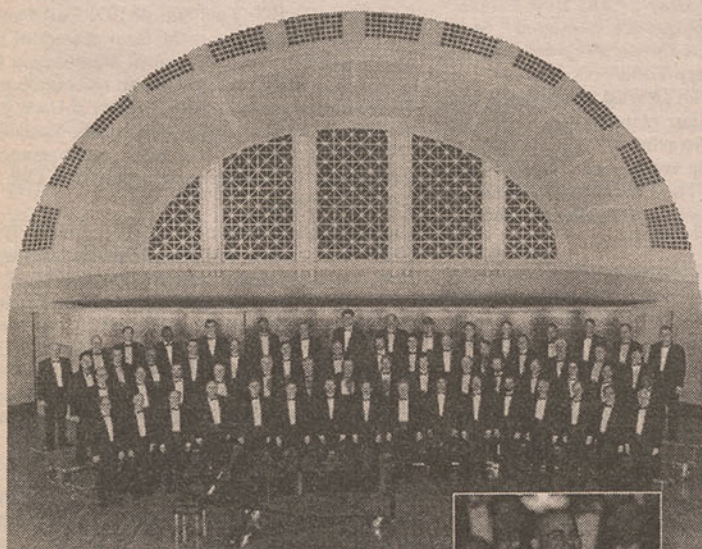
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March 8 First Presbyterian Church  
Northville, MI

April 3 Waterford Cultural Council Series

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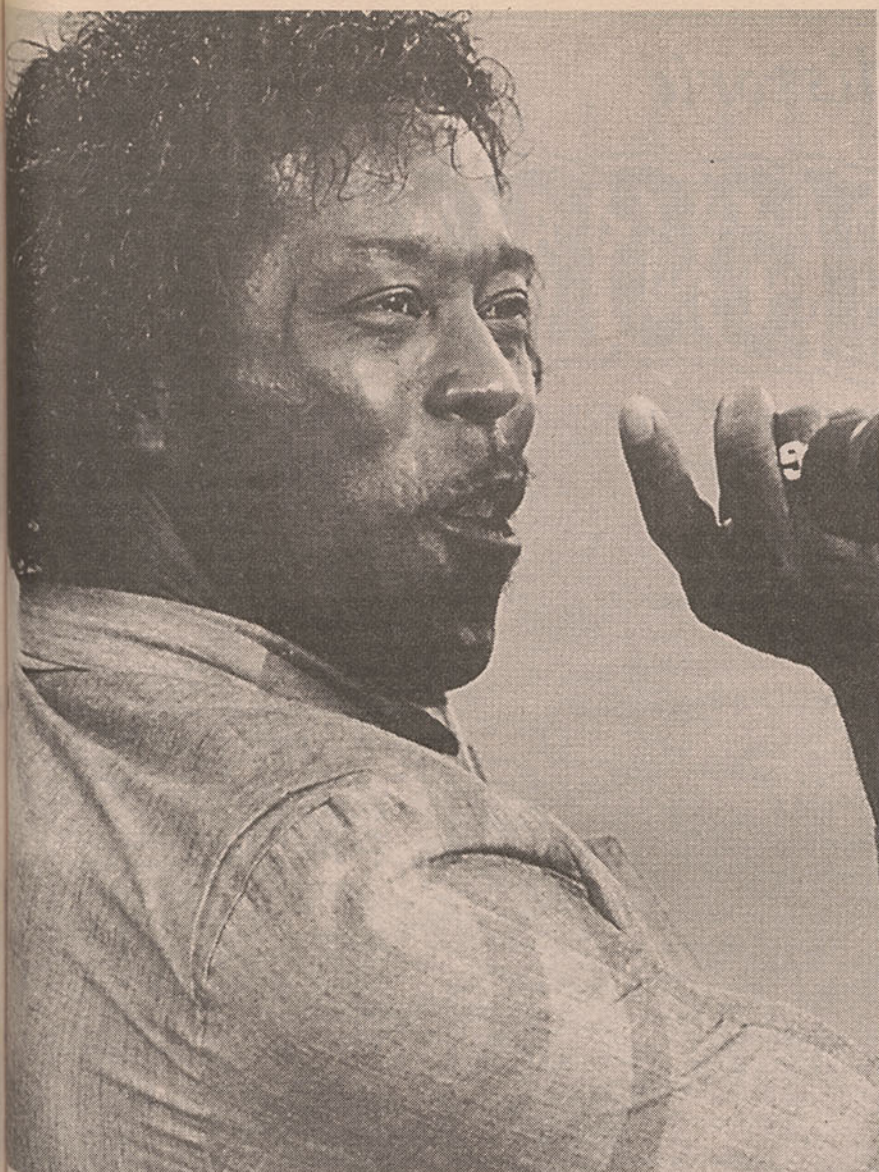
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## FILMS

### ANN ARBOR FILM FESTIVAL

Ann Arbor Film Festival, P.O. Box 8232, AA 48107. 995-5356. This internationally recognized showcase of the newest in experimental, avant-garde, and independent 16 mm films is held annually at the Michigan Theater. 36th Ann Arbor Film Festival, Mar. 17-22, 1998.

### COMMERCIAL THEATERS

**Ann Arbor Theater**, 210 S. Fifth Ave. (between Liberty and Washington streets). 761-9700, 761-9701. The Ann Arbor Theater offers a mix of first-run Hollywood releases and more esoteric fare. Its conversion from one screen to two left it with one theater that is unusually long and narrow with a very small screen. The library parking lot is a block away on Fifth Avenue, and there is a public parking structure at Fourth and William within a few minutes' walk. Admission: adults, \$6 (Mon.-Thurs.) and \$6.50 (Fri.-Sun. & holidays); students with valid ID, \$5 at all times; children and seniors, \$4.25. Daily before 6 p.m. and all day Wed. \$4.25 (some exceptions).

**Village Theater**, 375 Maple, in the Maple Village shopping center. 994-8080. This first-rate second-run theater shows a wide variety of recent releases and family fare on its four screens. Plenty of parking. Admission: Sun.-Thurs. \$1.50, Fri. & Sat. \$2.50 before 6 p.m. \$2.

**The Movies (United Artists)**, Briarwood mall. 480-8855. The Movies sports seven screens in theaters ranging from 135 to 350 seats. Programming is mostly mainstream, with some art films during the off-months (Mar.-Apr.). Ample parking. Admission: adults, \$7.50 before 6 p.m.; children and seniors, \$4.50.

**Moviehouse Cinemas**, 4100 Carpenter (Pittsfield Twp.). 938-8380, 973-8424. This 14-screen multiplex is big every way, beginning with its awe-inspiring parking lot. The theaters are the nicest in town, with state-of-the-art digital sound, large, comfortable seats, good viewing angles, and wide aisles. Movies are mostly mainstream Hollywood fare. Admission: adults, \$7.25 weekdays before 6 p.m.; children and seniors, \$4.75; Tues. senior discount, \$3.

**State Theater**, 233 S. State at Liberty. 994-4024. The bottom floor of the once grand State Theater now houses Urban Outfitters, but upstairs, the former balcony and the top half of the old screen yield two theaters, each seating over 300. The State retains a Deco-ish charm and is a popular destination for U-M students who flock to late-night showings of cult favorites like Wes Craven's "Scream." Programming is creative and unpredictable, featuring first-run features, foreign films, and occasional festivals of animation. Admission: \$6 (\$4 with student ID and seniors). There are \$4 bargain matinees daily, plus special \$1 showings periodically. Parking is available in two nearby public parking structures, on Maynard and E. Washington streets (Tally Hall).

### NONPROFIT FILM SOCIETIES

**Ann Arbor Silent Film Society**, mailing address: 3001 Braeburn Circle, AA 48108. 677-1359. Monthly showings of classic films at the theater at the Clarion Hotel, 2900 Jackson Road, including a feature and usually a couple of shorts. Admission: \$3.50.

**Cinema Guild**, Michigan League, 911 North University, Suite 3. 994-0027. The sole surviving independent student film group at the U-M, Cinema Guild has been showing since 1950. Films are chosen by group members. Foreign cinema is emphasized. Admission: \$4; double feature, \$5.

**Hill Street Cinema**, U-M Hillel, 1429 Hill. 769-0500. An off-campus film group housed at the local center for Jewish students, the Hill Street Cinema screens a wide variety of films in the Irwin Green Auditorium, which seats 500 and is air-conditioned. Programming focuses on films of interest to the Jewish community. The group also sponsors guest speakers. Admission: \$3-\$5.

**M-Flicks**, University Activities Center, U-M Michigan Union. 763-1107. This U-M funded group tends toward commercial fare. Call for schedule and admission fees.

**Michigan League Underground**, Michigan League Building, 911 North University. 763-4652. "Wednesday Night at the Movies" will present critically acclaimed, international, and classical films on alternate Wednesdays. The free showings will begin at 8 p.m. in the lower level of the Michigan League.

**Michigan Theater Foundation**, 603 E. Liberty at Maynard. 668-8397. The Michigan Theater, an ornate reminder of a much grander era of film exhibition, is indisputably the city's most handsome the-

ater. January 1998 marks its 70th anniversary, which the theater will be celebrating with various films, including silent films, and other events. The Michigan Theater is constructing a new 200-seat film exhibition theater just north of the existing building, scheduled to open in late 1998. Programming is eclectic, with a varied schedule of foreign and domestic films forming the core of screen offerings. Occasional silent films are accompanied by the thundering harmonies of the theater's restored organ. Fine quality film projection equipment allows audiences to experience 70 mm, 6-track Dolby film epics, 3-D movies, silent films at their original slower speeds, and independent and documentary films in 16 mm formats. Every March, the theater is the location of the Ann Arbor Film Festival, a week-long binge of selected avant-garde and student films from across the country and around the world. Parking is available in two nearby public parking structures, on Maynard and E. Washington streets. Admission: adults, \$6.50; students and seniors, \$5; members, \$4.50. Web: [www.michtheater.com/mt](http://www.michtheater.com/mt)

**U-M Center for Chinese Studies Film Series**, 104 Lane Hall, 204 S. State. 764-6308. This series ranges from People's Republic realist tales to hyperkinetic Hong Kong sock-'em-ups. Films are shown on intermittent Friday evenings in Angell Hall Auditorium A at 8 p.m. Call for fall schedule. Admission is free.

**U-M Center for Japanese Studies**, 108 Lane Hall, 204 S. State. 764-6307. This annual series includes classic Japanese films by such noted directors as Akira Kurosawa and Kenji Mizoguchi, as well as some contemporary films. This year's films, to be shown in the U-M's Natural Science Auditorium Fridays at 7 p.m., include a fall series of classical and new Japanese films and a winter series to be announced. Admission is free.

**U-M Program in Film & Video Studies**, 2512 Frieze Building (105 S. State). 764-0147. This program offers several special film events throughout the year, often in conjunction with the Michigan Theater. Call for times and locations.

### CAMPUS AUDITORIUMS

**Angell Hall Auditorium A**, concourse between Angell, Haven, and Mason halls. Enter the glassed-in "fishbowl" directly west of the U-M Grad Library front steps and proceed straight ahead into the concourse. Auditorium A is off a hallway to the left. This theater, which has approximately 324 comfortable theater-type seats, is equipped to show 35 mm films and CinemaScope. Parking in the U-M's structure on S. Thayer St.

**Lorch Hall Auditorium**, Tappan at Monroe. Entering Lorch Hall from Tappan Street, you will find the auditorium at the right rear corner of the building. Lorch, with about 350 seats, is the best film auditorium on campus, but the Economics Department, headquartered in Lorch Hall, discourages public film showings, so most films shown here require the cosponsorship of a U-M department. Parking in U-M structures at Hill near Tappan or at Church near South University.

**MLB 3 & 4**, Modern Languages Building, corner of Thayer and Washington. MLB 3 seats about 500 people in theater-type seats; MLB 4 seats 350. Parking in the U-M Thayer St. structure across the street.

**Natural Science Building Auditorium**, Natural Science Building, 830 North University at Thayer. The auditorium is at the back of the building, on the Diag. This steeply sloped lecture hall offers a good view from all seats, but minimal legroom. Parking at the U-M Thayer St. structure.

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### NIGHTSPOTS

For current schedules, see "Music at Nightspots" in the Calendar section of the monthly Ann Arbor Observer. Full nightspots listings are available on-line at [www.arborweb.com](http://www.arborweb.com)

**Arbor Brewing Company**, 114 E. Washington. 213-1393. This downtown brewpub features live music three nights a week: the jazz group Kneset on Tues. (9:30 p.m.-midnight), the Ann Arbor Irish Folk Ensemble on Wed. (8:30-11 p.m.), and Al Hill and the Love Butlers most Thursdays (9:30 p.m.-midnight). No dancing, no cover.

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**Cafe Zola**, 112 W. Washington. 769-2020. This downtown cafe features live music every Fri. 9-11 p.m. No dancing, no cover. E-mail: [zola@provide.net](mailto:zola@provide.net)

**City Limits**, 2900 Jackson. 665-4444. Inside the Clarion Hotel. DJs playing a mix of top-40 dance music throughout the week, Wed.-Sat. 9 p.m.-2 a.m. Cover (Fri. & Sat.), dancing.

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**Leonardo's**, 2101 Bonisteel. 764-7544. Located in the lower level of U-M Pierpont Commons. Weekly entertainment includes jazz, open mike night, and monthly music series.

**The Michigan League Underground**, Michigan League, 911 North University. 763-4652. Located on the lower level of the Michigan League, the Underground features a variety of musical groups from rock to ethnic music Thurs. (8-10 p.m.) during the fall and winter terms. No cover, occasional dancing. Its 6-String Coffee House program is being revived; it features local, regional, and national folk singers. Performances will be held six Fridays throughout the year. Call for dates and cover charge.

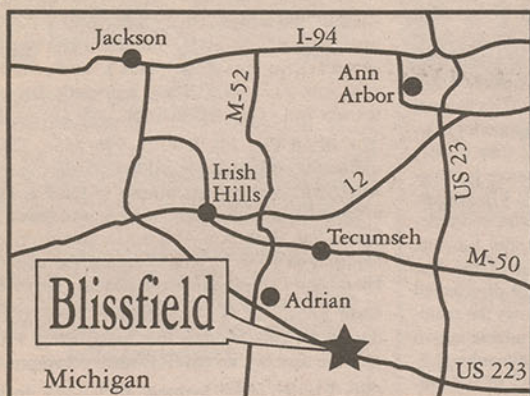
**The Nectarine**, 516 E. Liberty. 994-5436. This popular local dance club features DJs five nights a week, 9 p.m.-2 a.m. Dancing, cover.

**Rick's American Cafe**, 611 Church. 996-2747. Live entertainment seven nights a week. Acid jazz with musicians on Sun. Bands and DJs mixed throughout the month. 10 p.m.-2 a.m. Campus-area location gives this club a strong collegiate flavor, but the music also draws a heavy nonstudent clientele. Large dance floor. Dancing, cover.



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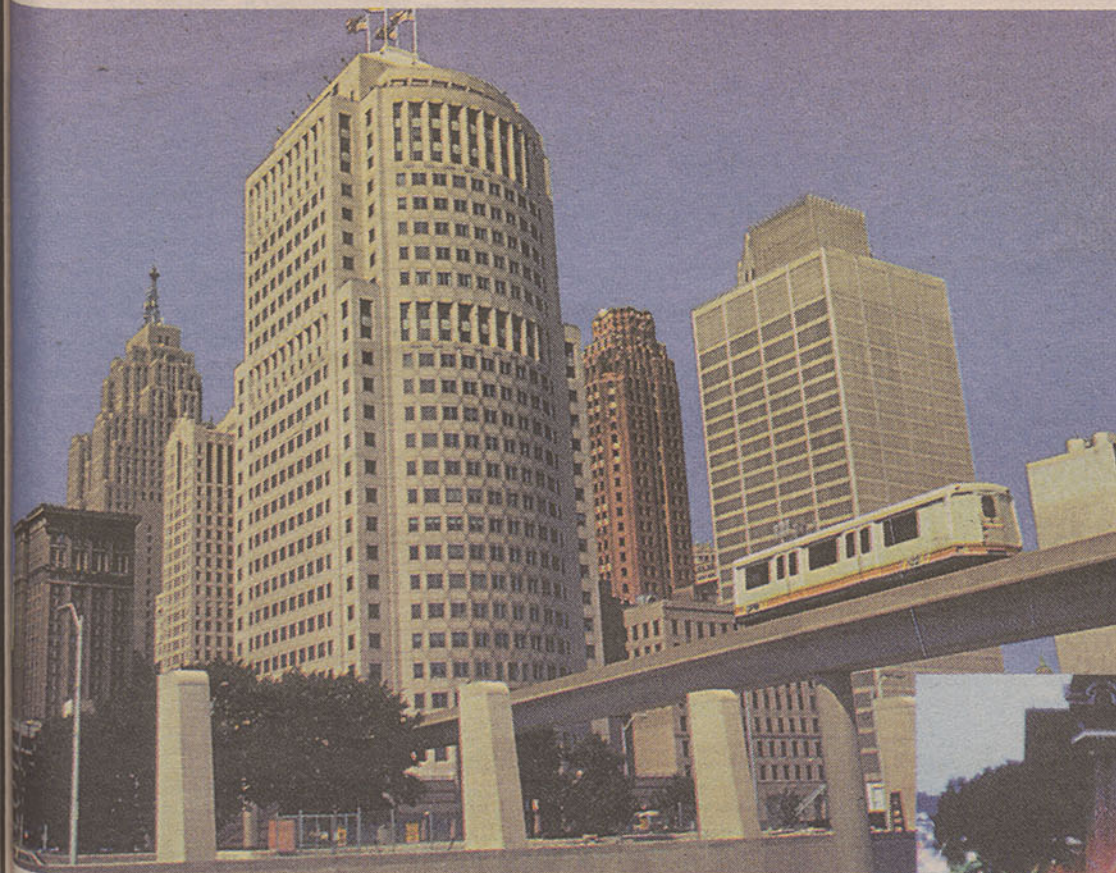
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*Left: The futuristic People Mover winds its way past skyscrapers in downtown Detroit. Below: Monroe Street in bustling Greektown. Below left: Tiger Stadium.*

The Renaissance Center is downtown on Jefferson, near the end of I-375 and US-10 (the Lodge Freeway).

The **People Mover**, connected to the Renaissance Center, loops around downtown Detroit and weaves between and even through landmark buildings. It skirts along the river's edge with a view of Windsor and comes within a block of the rejuvenated **theater district** on Woodward, where the Fox and State theaters, Second City comedy club, and the Detroit Opera House offer a wide variety of performances. The People Mover's Michigan station sits across the street from the Lindell AC (313-961-1122), a must-see for sports fans, who can grab a burger and beer surrounded by pictures and memorabilia of Detroit's pro sports stars. Another People Mover stop is in **Greektown**, a popular, neon-lit string of Greek restaurants, groceries, and cafes on Monroe Street. Highlights include Pegasus Taverna (313-964-6800) and Cyprus Taverna (313-961-1550). Other restaurants in the area are a big draw as well: the Loco Bar (313-965-3737) for Tex-Mex cuisine, and the huge and popular Fishbone's Rhythm Kitchen Cafe (313-965-4600) for a taste of New Orleans.

On the western edge of downtown, one of the largest used-book stores in the country, **John King Books** (313-961-0622), stocks almost a million titles on four floors. Find it on West Lafayette, at the Howard Street exit off US-10 south (the Lodge Freeway).

A few minutes west of downtown, **Tiger Stadium** (313-962-4000), one of the country's few surviving old-time baseball parks, is in its last years. The stadium is scheduled for demolition after the 1999 season, so see it now while you have the chance. Tickets are cheap and available at the gates. It's at Michigan and Trumbull. Take Michigan Avenue from downtown, or from I-94, take I-96 to US-10, and exit at Rosa Parks Boulevard.

A few miles farther west, several restaurants are bunched together in **Mexicantown**. Highlights are Xochimilco (313-843-0179), which has a gift shop next door, and El Zocalo (313-841-3700), where you can split a carafe of sangria in



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## HIGHLIGHTS OF DETROIT

Detroit is America's greatest twentieth-century downtown, and you can't spend time in the city without noticing the results of its history of extremes: the riches of the early auto industry, the scars of poverty from the city's decline, and more signs of its long-hoped-for rebirth. Detroit's population has fallen by half from its peak during the Korean War, and much of the city may seem abandoned. But there's plenty to see and do if you know where to look, including a first-rate museum, a classic city park, and an old-time farmers' market. New restaurants and other places of interest are joining long-standing institutions amidst the city's striking old architecture. To reach Detroit from Ann Arbor, take I-94 east; it connects with all of Detroit's other major freeways.

As most of Detroit is waking up, the city's **Eastern Market** has had a head start. On Saturday mornings, hundreds of farmers fill the huge market sheds, selling fresh fruits, vegetables, and flowers. On weekdays, old specialty grocery stores, catering to almost every taste, begin their days at 7 a.m. The fragrant Rafal Spice Co. (313-259-6373) stocks 300 spices, 100 herbal teas, 90 coffees, and 14 kinds of

mushrooms. The Rocky Peanut Co. (313-567-6871) sells endless varieties of nuts (even Cajun-spiced!), along with imported cheeses and bulk candies galore. Like the market itself, R. J. Hirt Co. (313-567-1173), an eclectic old grocery, dates from the 1890s. To visit the market, from I-94, take I-75 south to Mack, turn left, then right onto Russell. The Eastern Market is on Russell, just north of Gratiot.

The circular drive around Detroit's island park, **Belle Isle**, sweeps visitors from one beautiful sight to another: spectacular views of downtown and Windsor, Canada, a huge marble fountain that shoots water seventy-five feet in the air, and woods where deer roam freely. A maritime museum, aquarium, and small zoo are open daily, with small admission fees. To reach the park from I-94, take I-75 south, going straight as the freeway becomes I-375; then take East Jefferson east about two miles. The bridge to Belle Isle is at Jefferson and the foot of East Grand Boulevard.

Tyree Guyton's **Heidelberg Project** makes art from the city's decay. Guyton covered several houses on Heidelberg Street with bright designs and pictures, and in yards, porches, and a nearby vacant lot, he's arranged discarded items he's found around the city—dolls, shoes, TVs, and street signs—to create strange and powerful art. It evokes both the abandonment in parts of Detroit and a mood of rebirth, as it draws visitors to one of the city's deteriorated neighborhoods. From East Jefferson, go north on Mt. Elliott about a mile. Turn left onto Heidelberg.



CHRIS LARK

Most of the city can be seen from the highest of the seven glass towers that make up the **Renaissance Center**, Detroit's tallest building. To get to the observation

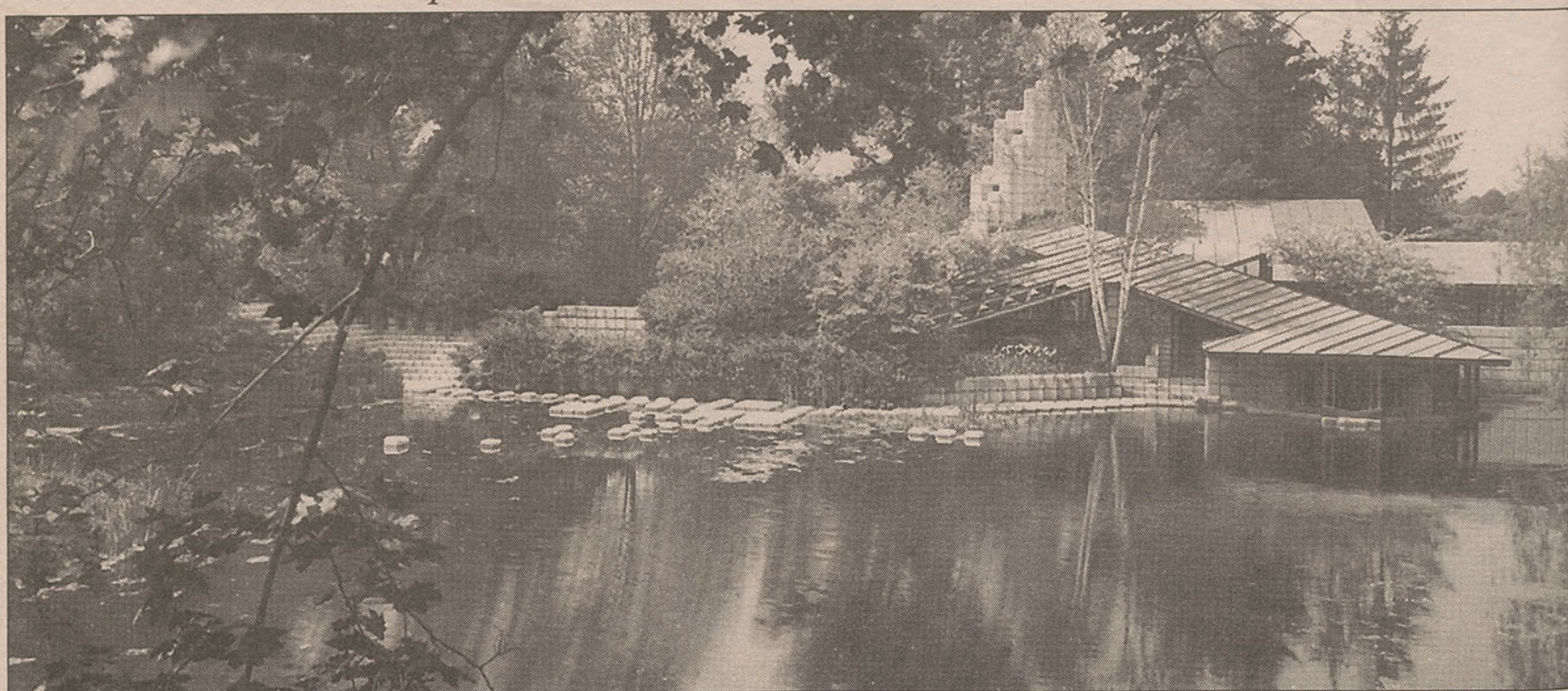
deck on the seventy-second floor, take the tall escalators near the hotel lobby to the third floor, then turn right to reach the glass elevator. Entry to the observation deck is \$3.50. The steak house on the seventy-first floor is extremely expensive, but you can linger over drinks at the seventy-third floor's revolving cocktail lounge on evenings and weekends.

glasses rimmed with fruit. From downtown, take I-75 south, and from I-94, take I-96 west. After 75 and 96 merge, get off at the Bridge to Canada—Porter Street exit. Turn right on Porter, and right again immediately onto 24th Street. Turn right on Bagley.

North of downtown, on Woodward, stands the **Detroit Institute of Arts** (313-833-7900). In a central courtyard, Mexican muralist Diego Rivera created one of his masterpieces, "Detroit Industry," a huge, bold work that shows and critiques life in the auto factories of the 1930s. Other highlights include one of Van Gogh's self-portraits, a major work by Rembrandt, and a fun collection of modern art. The museum is open Wednesdays through Fridays from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., and Saturdays and



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A few blocks south of the museum, two popular restaurants with good, moderately priced menus face each other: Union Street (313-831-3965) and the Majestic Cafe (313-833-0120). The new Blue Moon (313-831-8070) nearby serves Spanish-style *tapas*; dining parties share several appetizer-sized dishes. West of Woodward, on Canfield at Second, Traffic Jam and Snug (313-831-9470) serves an offbeat menu and beer brewed on-site in a distinctive, many-roomed building.

Continue north on Woodward, turn west onto Grand Boulevard at the striking Fisher Building and General Motors headquarters, and cross US-10 to reach the Motown Museum (313-875-2264), where countless hit records were recorded in the 1960s. Visitors wander unguided through two converted houses that make up the slightly confusing but charming museum, which includes the studio where singers from the Supremes to Stevie Wonder to Marvin Gaye recorded their famous songs.



Diego Rivera's "Detroit Industry" at the DIA.

## HENRY FORD'S DEARBORN

There's strange and fascinating history to be discovered in Dearborn—the story of auto pioneer Henry Ford. Ford's legacy here offers a window into America's past and the peculiar personality of the early auto tycoon.

Ford's mass-production techniques made his company the early leader in the auto industry; in 1920, half of the cars in the world were Model T Fords. Incredibly wealthy and increasingly eccentric, Ford spent his later years buying up pieces of Americana and transporting them to Dearborn. The results are the Henry Ford Museum, dedicated to practical American innovators and souvenirs of everyday American life, and Greenfield Village, a model American small town of the late-nineteenth century. And, like most of Detroit's auto barons, Ford built a mansion for his family: Fair Lane, which showed off his peculiar tastes, including his love of gadgets.

One highlight of the Henry Ford Museum is "The Automobile in American Life" exhibit. Flashing neon draws you into a celebration of the highways of the 1950s, with a set of Burma Shave signs, a diner from the 1940s, and a replica of a room at a Holiday Inn. Cars are arranged in a long line, in chronological order from the first primitive models to the gas-guzzling land barges of the 1950s to compacts such as the Ford Escort.

Near the auto display are some peculiar American treasures that don't fit into an exhibit: a line of cars used to transport past Ameri-

can presidents, including the car John F. Kennedy was riding in when he was shot. Down the center aisle is the chair Abraham Lincoln was sitting in at Ford's Theater when he was killed.

More than most exhibits in the museum, "Henry's Story: The Making of an Innovator" tells a story with a simple, unified theme: a biography of the museum's founder. The exhibit shows off Ford's first car, the 1896 quadricycle, and touches on his doubling of his employees' pay—the famous \$5 day—to combat high turnover at his plants. In this exhibit, more than anywhere else in Dearborn, some of the controversies surrounding the man are acknowledged, such as the working conditions at early Ford plants and the company's often violent union-busting in the 1930s.

Nearby, the sprawling "Made in America" exhibit is dedicated to the huge task of chronicling the country's industrial history. Photographs, video testimonials, and displays of protective gear and other items show working conditions in factories past and present.

A musical piece of Detroit's history is showcased in a temporary exhibit on Motown Records, which is scheduled to remain on display through September 1997. Highlights include a short film with 1960s performance clips of the Supremes and Stevie Wonder, along with retrospective interviews.

The far corners of the twelve-acre museum are still something of "a cross between an attic and a junk shop," as travel writer Bill Bryson described the entire museum in the 1980s. Visitors can walk through a massive collection of farm implements, nineteenth-century household items, a random gathering of planes, and some neglected trains and streetcars.

Next to the museum, preserved buildings brought from across the country (often brick by brick) form Greenfield Village, essentially a collection of dozens of little museums arranged like a small town. Generally, the buildings are linked to people Henry Ford admired, from the courthouse where Abraham Lincoln practiced law to the home of Ford's favorite childhood schoolteacher.

Highlights include the Wright Brothers' bicycle shop and Thomas Edison's Menlo Park laboratory, where Edison invented the electric light and the phonograph. Ford greatly admired Edison and worked at his Edison Illu-



"The Automobile in American Life" at Dearborn's Henry Ford Museum.

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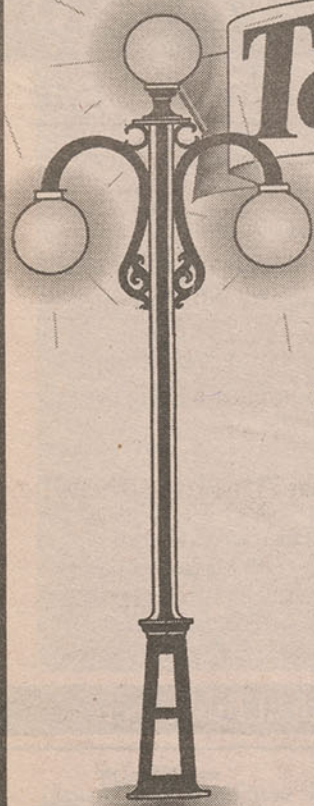
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# EXCURSIONS



The Drowsy Parrot Cafe in Saline.

minating Company in Detroit in the 1890s.  
When Edison met Ford, he encouraged him to  
pursue his experiments with gas-powered  
motors.

Greenfield Village is making an effort to  
add to its representations of black American  
life. A memorial to George Washington Carver  
has been joined recently by slave houses  
from a plantation in Georgia, as well as the  
home of a free black family of the nineteenth  
century.

There are various places to eat in Greenfield  
Village, including the Eagle Tavern, which  
serves typical meals from the 1850s in a tavern  
preserved from that period. At A Taste of His-  
tory, housed in a modern building, diners can  
choose among dishes from several periods in  
American history. There's a cafeteria in the  
Henry Ford Museum, and the Village is also a  
wonderful spot for picnicking.

The Village buildings are closed in the  
winter, but visitors to the museum can walk  
across the grounds most days, and sleigh  
rides are available if there's enough snow.  
To visit the museum and the village, take I-  
94 east to M-39 north (the Southfield Free-  
way). Exit at Oakwood Boulevard and head  
west. Call (313) 271-1620, for more infor-  
mation.

It's doubtful that Henry and Clara Ford's  
fifty-six-room mansion, Fair Lane (313-  
593-5590), will arouse much envy among vis-  
itors—much of the home is oppressively dark  
and many other rooms are painted a bright pea  
green. Still, the mansion is interesting for  
what it reveals about Henry Ford's personality  
and mechanical curiosity. Visible everywhere  
are innovations that are still unusual today, let  
alone in 1915. Inside each bathroom is a valve  
that once supplied a hose with a blast of air—  
an early hair dryer. Visitors can eat lunch be-  
tween 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. at the Pool Restau-  
rant, a sunny room atop the Fords' concrete-  
filled Olympic-sized pool. Tours of the com-  
plex (call ahead for times) begin at the power-  
house, which Ford had built with Thomas  
Edison's help so that the estate could generate  
its own power from the river. To reach Fair  
Lane, take I-94 to M-39 north (Southfield  
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The Chocolate Vault in downtown Tecumseh takes its name from its location—a former bank.

now it's a winding old U.S. highway, with fading Mail Pouch Tobacco ads on barns, most of its traffic siphoned away by the I-94 freeway.

Where it passes through towns, US-12 becomes Michigan Avenue. For an easy drive of about 80 miles round-trip, or an extended trip of 120 miles, take Ann Arbor-Saline Road north from Ann Arbor to join Michigan Avenue in Saline. A highlight of the town, a block south of its main intersection, is the Cal Cat Book and Gift Shoppe (429-1360), located in a renovated, 100-year-old former church. There's a huge selection of collectibles—some showcased in cabinets made from the church's original wooden doors—and a vast and varied children's book section in the basement. The building is brilliantly lit, with most of the stained glass still in place. Nearby, Saline's downtown has attracted several cosmopolitan restaurants and cafes, including Mac's Acadian Seafood Shack (944-6227), the Saline Cafe (429-5408), and the Drowsy Trot cafe (429-8595), with seating on a second-floor wooden catwalk. East of downtown Leutheuser's German restaurant (429-4040), a local institution. There are several antique stores, including Salt City Antiques (429-3997) on US-12, just west of downtown.

A dozen miles southwest of Saline on US-12 lies the village of Clinton, with a small downtown whose buildings date from the 1800s. The Clinton Inn (517-456-4151), a restaurant and hotel that opened in 1901, stands dramatically at the corner of Tecumseh Road and Michigan Avenue. Antique stores, large and small, dominate downtown. Especially distinctive are the Turn of the Century Lighting Co. (517-456-6019; open most weekends, but all ahead), with antique lighting fixtures, glass, and shades; and Spectral Glass (517-456-6066), a stained-glass maker and supplier.

The Clinton Theater (517-456-4315) offers a movie on weekends. On Sundays from June through September, and on both Saturdays and Sundays in October, when the trees are showing off their fall colors, the Southern Michigan Railroad (517-423-7230) takes passengers in vintage train cars through the River Raisin valley to Tecumseh, five miles south.

Drive south on Tecumseh-Clinton Highway and you'll notice "skydiving" signs pointing down a dirt driveway just inside the Tecumseh city limits. The signs lead to Parachuting Services, Inc. (517-423-7720) at Al Meyers Airport, where parachutists can often be seen floating gently to the ground. Tecumseh's downtown is as historic and well-preserved as Clinton's. Its jewel is the Chocolate Vault (800-525-1165), an ice cream parlor and candy company in a former bank. Down the street is the three-story Tecumseh Antique Mall I (517-423-6441), which shares part of its top floor with the British Pantry (517-423-7873), a food import shop. East of downtown on M-50 is the entrance to the Indian Crossing Trails Park, a mile-long hiking trail along the Raisin River Spillway. West from downtown on M-50 are two other major antique stores, the Tecumseh Antique Mall II (517-423-6082) and the Hitching Post Antiques Mall (517-423-8277).

If antique shops are a special interest, extend your detour to Blissfield. Take M-50 to the eastern edge of Tecumseh and go south

on Rogers Highway. Once you pass through the small town of Palmyra, head southeast on US-223 to Blissfield. Antiques shops are clustered downtown on South Lane Street. Green's Gallery of Antiques (517-486-3080), which resembles a giant attic, is a repository for historic house parts—stray doors and windows, lighting fixtures—as well as hardcover books, bottles, and 33 and 78 RPM records. The Blissfield Antique Mall (517-486-2236) occupies three floors, and Remember When . . . (517-486-6001) has a soda fountain as well as antiques. Blissfield's Old Country Store (517-486-3621) is filled with ted-

dy bears and the smell of potpourri. Fine dining can be found west of downtown at the Hathaway House (517-486-2141), a mansion with Doric columns on its porch, built in 1851. Casual dining is available at the Main Street Stable and Tavern behind the house. On selected weekends, the Hathaway House caters dinner trains and murder mystery trains on the Adrian & Blissfield Railroad. Excursion trains also depart from the depot, east of downtown, at 2 p.m. on summer and fall weekends. Call ahead for the schedule: dinner and mystery trains, (517) 486-2141; excursion trains, (517) 486-5979.

To get back to the Tecumseh area, head back up US-223 to M-52, and take M-52 north through Adrian. This city has a historic district of pre- and post-Civil War homes just south of its downtown, and a courthouse built in 1885 that's replete with Romanesque architecture and terra-cotta trim. More antiques is offered at Marsh's Antique Mall (517-263-8826) on Winter Street. The nearby El Chapulin Grasshopper Restaurant and Lounge (517-265-6670), one sign of Adrian's large Hispanic population, is a good place to fill up on inexpensive, tasty Mexican food. The Croswell Opera House (517-264-7469), built in 1866, produces plays and musicals and is one of many venues that host the Adrian Symphony (517-264-3121). North of Adrian, M-52 leads back to M-50 not far west of Tecumseh.

Take M-50 four miles west from M-52 (eight miles if you come straight from Tecumseh) to Hidden Lake Gardens (517-431-2060). The roads and trails at the 755-acre arboretum dip into glacial kettlehole valleys and climb and curve surprisingly over hills. There's a collection of dwarf conifers, flower beds of all kinds, natural woodlands, and a conservatory for plants that find Michigan's climate too harsh.

By continuing west another seven miles to where M-50 meets US-12, travelers can double back through the heart of the Irish Hills, formed during the last Ice Age. At the junction of the highways, the Brick Walker Tavern (517-467-4385), now an antiques shop, is open year-round. In the summer, visitors can stop at the Walker Tavern Historic Complex (517-467-4414) to discover what the journey was like for the nineteenth-century travelers who stayed there. Heading back east, US-12 passes kitschy old seasonal tourist spots, many designed to appeal to kids: Stagecoach Stop (517-467-2300), a theme park made to look like a nineteenth-century village; the Prehistoric Forest (517-467-2514), with large models of dinosaurs; and a miniature golf course. St. Joseph's Shrine (517-467-2183) is a folk-art shrine with fourteen outdoor stations of the cross.



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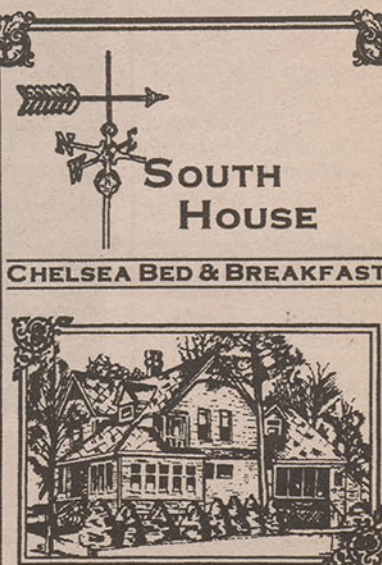
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Expensive: Under \$50 for a single  
Moderate: \$50-\$90 for a single  
Inexpensive: Above \$90 for a single

## INEXPENSIVE

**Ypsilanti Inn**, 2380 Carpenter near Washtenaw. 665-0700. 128 units, renovated 1992. S \$44-\$74, D \$54-\$74. Each additional person. Sauna, whirlpool, indoor pool, restaurant on premises.

**Embassy Hotel**, 200 E. Huron at Fourth Ave. 665-7100. Built 1889. S \$30 daily, \$159 weekly; D \$159 and up daily, \$195 and up weekly.

**Hampton Post Inn**, 2424 E. Stadium at Washtenaw. 665-8000. 33 units (mostly doubles). S or D \$44.95; furnished efficiency units, including dishwasher, \$49-\$79 weekly. Outdoor pool, complimentary continental breakfast.

**Flower Motel**, 5610 Carpenter at Michigan. 665-2200. 21 units, built 1959. S \$34.95 and up, D \$35 and up. Jacuzzi suite available, restaurant lounge, game room.

**Hotel 6**, 3764 S. State Rd. 665-9900. 109 units, built 1983. S \$41.99 (Fri. & Sat. \$47.99), \$6 extra second person, \$3 extra for third and fourth person. Outdoor pool, complimentary coffee.

**Roof Inn**, 3621 Plymouth. 996-5800. 108 units, built 1980. S \$43.99-\$53.99, D \$46.99-\$56.99. Restaurant next door.

## MODERATE

**Western Wolverine Inn**, 3505 S. State Rd. 665-3500. 119 units, renovated 1988. S or D \$59-\$62, weekend rate \$68.95. Whirlpool, sauna, complimentary continental breakfast.

**Cambridge House**, U-M West Quad residence hall, 400 Thompson. 764-5297. Renovated 1997. 16 units mid-Aug.-mid-May: S or D \$82. 101 units mid-May-mid-Aug.: S or D \$72-\$82. Private baths.

**Clarion Hotel**, 2900 Jackson. 665-4444. 225 units. S or D \$79 (poolside or tower rooms \$89-\$99). Indoor and outdoor pools, whirlpool, game room, fitness center, lounge with live entertainment, restaurant.

**Comfort Inn and Business Center**, 2455 Carpenter. 973-6100. 126 units, built 1989. S \$61, D \$68. Indoor pool, whirlpool, in-room Jacuzzis available for additional charge. Office cubicles and meeting rooms available. Restaurant next door.

**Courtyard by Marriott**, 3205 Boardwalk (near I-94 and S. State). 995-5900. 160 units, renovated 1997. S or D \$89 (suites available for \$99). Indoor pool, whirlpool, exercise facility, complimentary coffee, lounge and restaurant (breakfast only).

**Fairfield Inn**, 3285 Boardwalk. 995-5200. 110 units, built 1989. S \$69, D \$75. Indoor pool, whirlpool, complimentary continental breakfast.

**Hampton Inn North**, 2300 Green Rd. (near US-23 and Plymouth). 996-4444. 130 units, built 1988. S \$63-\$72, D \$65-\$72. Indoor pool, whirlpool, exercise room, complimentary continental breakfast. Web: www.hamptoninn.com

**Hampton Inn South**, 925 Victors Way (near I-94 and S. State). 665-5000. 150 units, built 1986. S \$62, D \$68-\$73 (weekend rate \$77). Indoor pool, whirlpool, exercise room, complimentary continental breakfast. Web: www.hamptoninn.com

**Holiday Inn North Campus**, 3600 Plymouth Rd. (near US-23). 769-9800. 222 units, renovated 1994. S or D \$89; weekend packages available. Executive rooms (\$104) have modem hook-ups and access to business center with fax, computer, printer, and copier. Indoor/outdoor pool, sauna, whirlpool, tennis, exercise equipment, video games, pool table, lounge and restaurant. Web: www.holiday-inn.com

**Quality Inn Ann Arbor**, 3750 Washtenaw at US-23. 971-2000. 100 units, renovated 1997. S \$55, D \$65. Suites and Jacuzzis available. Outdoor pool, restaurant and lounge.

**Weber's Inn**, 3050 Jackson (at I-94). 769-2500. 160 units, renovated 1996. S or D \$89. Suites available. Banquet facilities, restaurant and lounge, indoor pool, whirlpool, sauna, exercise room, game room, complimentary coffee and sweet rolls.

## EXPENSIVE

**Bell Tower Hotel**, 300 S. Thayer. 769-3010, (800) 999-8693. 66 units, renovated 1997. S \$115, D \$130. Suites available. Maid service twice a day, restaurant on premises, complimentary continental breakfast, free valet parking, adjacent to U-M campus.

**Campus Inn**, 615 E. Huron. 769-2200. 208 guest rooms. S \$113, D \$128 (standard); S \$128, D \$143 (penthouse level); S \$152, D \$167 (suite). Restaurant, lounge, banquet space, outdoor pool, saunas, exercise room, free parking, adjacent to U-M campus.

**Crowne Plaza Ann Arbor**, 610 Hilton (near I-94 and S. State). 761-7800. 200 units. S or D \$104. Suites available. Lounge and formal dining, indoor pool, exercise room, sauna, whirlpool, complimentary morning coffee and afternoon tea, restaurant. Web: www.holiday-inn.com

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**Sheraton Ann Arbor**, 3200 Boardwalk (near I-94 and S. State). 996-0600. 197 units, renovated 1993. S or D \$110. Suites available. Indoor and outdoor pools, sauna, exercise area, restaurant and bar.

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On and around South Main, more than three dozen restaurants attract diners from all over southeastern Michigan. Though Main Street is the biggest destination, there are good restaurants all over town, from Weber's Grand Cafe on the west side to Great Lake Chinese Seafood on the east. To simplify the search, this list is divided by type—see the list of headings above. Each is listed only under the most appropriate heading (for example, many restaurants also offer catering).

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## The Lone Star Steakhouse & Saloon

### Looking west at the Colonnade

It's more than a little bit country—and absolutely no rock 'n' roll. Marie Osmond would be thrilled.

A recent lunch trip to the Lone Star Steakhouse & Saloon, at the Colonnade shopping center, left our lunch crew of two licking mesquite-stained lips and hankering to two-step.

The Lone Star's Western-theme decor creates a festive, down-home atmosphere. Walls are lined with glowing neon signs in the shapes of cowboy boots and cowgirl hats. Cacti are perched on ledges. The bar is trimmed with a polished-to-perfection tin awning and boasts the mounted head of a prize wild boar. Large, full burlap sacks, stacked against the front wall, act as supplemental seating for waiting patrons. And playing in the background are the sounds of country music greats such as Johnny Cash and Patty Loveless.

Intensely enthusiastic service is a Lone Star trademark. After we were warmly greeted, we were seated in a large, roomy booth and waited no more than twenty seconds before we were asked what we'd like to drink. (And, of course, we were addressed as "y'all.")

Being entertained while you eat is a big part of the fun. Periodically, cued by a specific song, the entire serving crew forms two dance lines, at opposite ends of the restaurant. Amidst the hootin' and hollerin', they stomp their boots, twist, turn, and swivel in an almost perfectly choreographed country line dance.

We began our meals with a house salad and the soup of the day. The salad was generous in size, crisp, and topped with all of the trimmings. The steak soup was tasty, loaded with hearty vegetables as well as tender beef chunks.

The mesquite-grilled breast of chicken and perfectly baked potato, dripping with real butter, delighted the first member of our party. Patron number two's "real-woman" steak sandwich was a tad beyond her medium-cooked request, but tender and tasty. Accompanying the sandwich, a heap of lightly seasoned steak fries, cut big and thick, hung over the side of the plate. We also enjoyed the restaurant's new cinnamon dippers, crisp pastries in the shape of tortilla chips, powdered with cinnamon and sugar and topped with baked apple slices and vanilla-bean ice cream.

We ate heartily, which is the only way you can eat at the Lone Star. Between the food, the atmosphere, and the dancing, we were more than satisfied. After only a few minutes at the Lone Star, even the most dedicated salad eaters will be yelling, "bring on the meat and potatoes!"

—Sarah Ray and Kristy Short



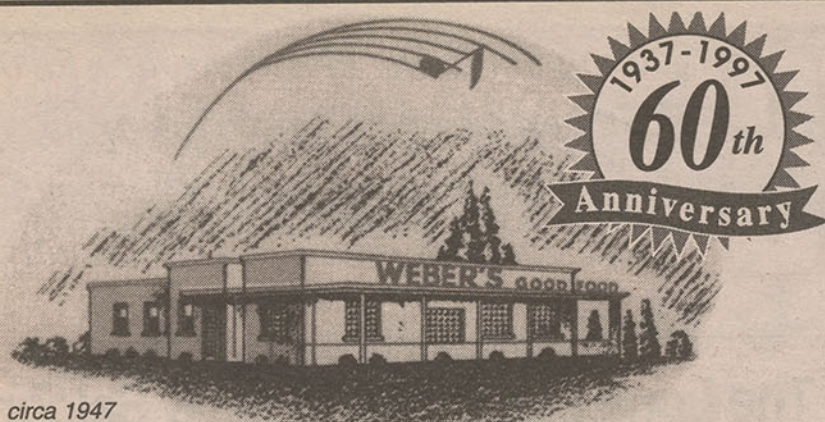
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Maude's was a big hit when it opened in the late 1970s. People flocked to the restaurant for the barbecued ribs, the amaretto mousse, and the come-hither decor. My favorite thing about the place back then, though, was the novelty of ordering vegetables for lunch: crisply cooked broccoli and cauliflower covered in a light cheese sauce, or a salad from a long and creative list. Twenty years later, it's hard to recall just how revolutionary those salads were at the time.

Maude's has managed to keep up—stay fresh—in the midst of Ann Arbor's restaurant mania. Over the years it has expanded, redecorated, jumped on the pasta trend, and even added the ubiquitous outdoor tables, despite a dismal view of postal vehicles across Fourth Avenue.

A year or so ago, Maude's even changed its famous ribs. The new version—smoky, dry, and redolent of herbs—is less saucy. Some people complained, though, so now you can order the old (with plenty of sauce), the new, or a combination of both. On the summer evening when our hungry and high-spirited sixsome descended on Maude's, a comparison test seemed in order.

We quickly dispensed with three appetizers—fried artichoke hearts, the Onion Burst, and baked Brie coated with pine nuts and served with bread and fruit. Side salads and the Caesar were models of the modern salad: lightly dressed, with a variety of greens.

When it came time to order entrees, two vegetarians among us selected pasta dishes. One, a tomato fanatic, ordered the Choice Ravioli—homemade mushroom ravioli smothered in a marinara sauce. Her husband loved the Big Pasta Bowl, with garlic, goat cheese, spinach, and both sun-dried and fresh tomatoes. My salmon was perfectly cooked, served with rice pilaf and an interesting mixture of spinach, mushrooms, and leeks. A friend's sautéed chicken breast with shiitake-cremini mushroom sauce, sun-dried cherries, and basil was pronounced "juicy, light, and delicious."

In the name of scientific inquiry, my husband and another friend ordered the old and new renditions of Maude's ribs for a side-by-side taste test. My husband decided he preferred the traditional sauce-laden version; our friend liked the new smokier ones, preferring "flavor over tenderness." Both were able to worry down every last shred of pork, leaving only a pile of bones on their plates.

Delicious food, efficient and unobtrusive service, and lively conversation added up to a memorable evening. Feeling destined to enjoy whatever came next, we commanded the waitress to bring on dessert. Key lime pie, strawberry shortcake, peach cobbler, and a rich, flourless chocolate torte were followed around the table by exclamations of bliss. (The amaretto mousse is still featured periodically on the special dessert tray.)

Like the menu, Maude's decor has been updated nicely over the years. But the real secret to its longevity is that MainStreet Ventures, its wise proprietors, have always understood that you can't be "The Place" forever. As in a good marriage, the honeymoon must be followed by something of lasting substance. Maude's is proof that long after the glow of novelty is gone, denizens of this town will continue to show up for innovative, well-prepared fresh food and good service.

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# RESTAURANTS

pasta, vegetarian dishes. Daily 11 a.m.-10 p.m. (Fri. & Sat. till 11:30 p.m.). AE, DC, DV, MC, V. Bday. ♦ ♦ \$

**Weber's Grand Cafe**, 3050 Jackson (Weber's Inn). 769-2500. Gourmet cuisine featuring prime rib, fresh seafood, London broil, pasta, fish, stir-fry. Serves breakfast, lunch, and dinner. Mon. 6:30 a.m.-9:30 p.m., Tues.-Fri. 6:30 a.m.-10:30 p.m. (Fri. till 11 p.m.), Sat. 8 a.m.-11 p.m., Sun. 8 a.m.-9:30 p.m. AE, DC, DV, MC, V, P.C. Bday. ♦ ♦ \$ to \$\$\$

**West End Grill**, 120 W. Liberty. 747-6260. New American cuisine, with traditional foods prepared in unexpected ways. Steak, veal, seafood, pasta. Tues.-Sat. 5-9:30 p.m. (Fri. & Sat. till 10:30 p.m.). Closed Sun. & Mon. AE, MC, V. Bday. ♦ \$ to \$\$\$

## BARS & GRILLS

**Applebee's Neighborhood Grill & Bar**, 1005 Eisenhower. 741-4851. Chain serving chicken, steak, ribs, salads, burgers. Carryout available. Daily 11 a.m.-midnight (Fri. & Sat. till 1:30 a.m.). AE, MC, V. Bday. ♦ \$ to \$

**Arbor Brewing Company**, 114 E. Washington. 213-1393. International, eclectic pub fare designed to complement house-brewed beers. Jerk chicken wings, unusual salsas, vegetarian items. Mon.-Sat. 11:30 a.m.-midnight (Thurs.-Sat. till 1 a.m.), Sun. noon-midnight. AE, DC, MC, V. Bday. ♦ \$

**Ashley's Restaurant and Pub**, 338 S. State. 996-9191. Salads, sandwiches, and American dinners. Imported beers; over 60 beers on tap. Mon.-Sat. 11:30 a.m.-2 a.m., Sun. 11:30 a.m.-midnight (kitchen closes one hour before the restaurant does). AE, DC, DV, MC, V. ♦ \$

**Aut BAR**, 315 Braun. 994-3677. "Ann Arbor's first gay-owned, gay-operated bar and cafe catering to the men and women of the gay community." Intimate main floor bar offers food; cafe and library also on first floor; bar and poolroom on second floor. Daily 4 p.m.-2 a.m. Also Sunday brunch 10 a.m.-3 p.m. AE, DC, MC, V, P.C. ♦ \$ to \$

**Banfield's Bar and Grill**, 3140 Packard. 971-3300. Sports bar for postgame celebrating or TV watching. Burgers, steaks, munchies. Mon.-Sat. 11 a.m.-1 a.m. (Fri. till 2 a.m.), Sun. 11 a.m.-11 p.m. MC, V, P.C. Bday. ♦ \$ to \$

**Banfield's Westside Grill and Tavern**, 5510 Jackson. 668-7800. Sports bar with satellite dishes and over a dozen TVs, serving burgers, sandwiches, salads. Mon.-Sat. 11 a.m.-1 a.m. (Fri. & Sat. till 2 a.m.), Sun. noon-11 p.m. MC, V. ♦ \$

**Bennigan's**, 575 Briarwood Cir. 996-0996. Chain eatery, with ribs, pasta, burgers, sandwiches, salads. Carryout available. Mon.-Sat. 11 a.m.-midnight (Fri. & Sat. till 1 a.m.), Sun. 11 a.m.-11 p.m. AE, DC, DV, MC, V. ♦ \$

**Bird Feeder**, 207 S. Ashley. 662-8310. Restaurant inside the Bird of Paradise jazz club. Full menu, including steak, pasta, soups, Mexican dishes, desserts. Mon. & Wed.-Sun. 7 p.m.-midnight. Closed Tues. (Bar open daily till 2 a.m.). AE, MC, V. ♦ \$

**Bombay Bicycle Club**, 3150 Boardwalk. 668-1545. Chain serving Italian and American dishes. Carryout available. Mon.-Thurs. 11:30 a.m.-11 p.m. (bar open till 1 a.m.), Fri. & Sat. 11:30 a.m.-midnight (bar open till 2 a.m.), Sun. 11:30 a.m.-10 p.m. (bar open till midnight). AE, DC, DV, MC, V. Bday. ♦ \$

**Casey's Tavern**, 304 Depot. 665-6775. Casual neighborhood spot with Mexican dishes, pasta, fish, burgers, sandwiches. Mon.-Sat. 11 a.m.-11 p.m. (bar open till midnight Fri. & Sat.). Closed Sun. AE, DV, MC, V. Bday. ♦ \$ to \$

**Creekside Tavern**, 5827 Jackson. 997-0000. As of July 1997, Creekside is being rebuilt af-

# Grizzly Peak

GUIDE TO CREATIVE DINING

## Appetizers

\$4.75 to \$6.95

Stuffed Portobella • Grilled Herb Polenta • Fresh Tomato Bruschetta  
Roasted Eggplant & Black Bean Dip • Corn Dusted Calamari  
Cajun Chicken Quesadillas • Spicy Beer Steamed Mussels

## Soups & Salads

\$1.95 to \$4.50

Cheddar & Ale Soup • Homemade Soup of the Day • Honey Jalapeño Slaw  
Mixed Greens Salad • Caesar Salad • Balsamic Vegetable Salad

## Entrée Salads

Served with Brewhouse Bread. Add a cup of soup \$1.00.

\$7.95 to \$8.95

Asian Noodle Salad • Griddled Duck Salad  
Chicken Couscous Salad • Blackened Salmon Caesar

## Dinner Sandwiches

Add pub fries or a cup of soup \$1.00.

\$6.25 to \$8.95

The Grizz Burger • The Hearthburger • Grilled Chicken Sandwich  
Portobella Burger • Smoked Turkey & Gouda • Pub Reuben • Swordfish Club

## Dinner Entrées

Served with Brewhouse Bread. Add a cup of soup \$1.00.

\$8.95 to \$16.95

Black Bean Cakes • Pub Fish'n'Chips • BBQ Baby Back Ribs • Bayou Pasta  
Wild Mushroom Strudel • Kona Coast Chicken • Pasta Sorrento  
Rosemary Lamb Chops • Atlantic Salmon • Chile Crusted New York  
Gorgonzola Filet • Herb Chicken Linguine

## Wood Fired Pizzas

\$6.95 to \$7.95

Pizza Mediterranean • Goat Cheese Pizza • Pizza Classico  
Grilled Chicken Pizza • Wild Mushroom Pizza

## Lunch Sandwiches

Pub fries with any sandwich \$1.00.

\$5.25 to \$7.95

Grilled Eggplant • The Grizz Burger • The Hearthburger  
Grilled Chicken Sandwich • Portobella Burger • Smoked Turkey & Gouda  
Turkey Reuben • Pub Reuben • Swordfish Club  
Soup & 1/2 Sandwich Combo

This special sandwich combination changes daily.  
Ask your server about today's fresh creation \$4.95

## Lunch Entrées

Served with Brewhouse Bread. Add a cup of soup \$1.00.

\$7.75 to \$8.95

Bayou Pasta • Pasta Sorrento • Pub Fish'n'Chips  
Black Bean Cakes • Herb Chicken Linguine

## Kids

(12 & Under)

\$3.95 to \$4.95

Grilled Cheese & Fries • Junior Pizza • Cheeseburger & Fries  
Chicken Strips & Fries • Fish & Chips

## Desserts

\$3.75 to \$4.50

Cherry Bread Pudding • Black & Tan Brownie • Sweet Potato Creme Caramel  
White Chocolate Cheesecake • Grizzly's Root Beer Float  
Espresso and Cappuccino

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A 12 oz mug of carefully brewed root beer essence, pure sugar  
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## Broadway Cafe

### Steak hoagie meets bi bim bab

The words "Jumbo Steak Hoagie" appear on a big gray sign atop the roof of the Broadway Cafe, and a multicolored sign in the window promises hoagies as well. But if you walk into the tiny north-side cafe at dinnertime, you're likely to find all seven tables filled with customers of Asian descent, eating from big metal bowls of Korean specialties.

Many of Ann Arbor's Korean restaurants blend American food into their menus, but the Broadway Cafe has the most interesting mix. Keeman and Keok Chang, a brother and sister team, bought the restaurant in 1986, when it was simply called Jumbo Steak Hoagie. They dropped hamburgers and subs from the menu to specialize in steak sandwiches, then slowly added Korean dishes. The Changs and their customers adapted easily. "People expect Oriental people to sell Oriental food," explains Keeman. A customer suggested the new name to reflect the more diverse menu.

Steak hoagies are still the biggest sellers, especially at lunch. But dinnertime brings in a *bi bim bab* crowd. "A lot of grad students come here for a home-like dinner," says Keeman. The sandwiches are a filling meal—manageably thin, but ten inches long. The steak and cheese are both richly flavored, with onion helping to bring out the taste. It's best to thoroughly mix the elements of the *bi bim bab*, a Korean comfort food. That way each bite has a different, tasty combination of meat, fried egg, spinach, sprouts, cucumbers, and rice.

Broadway Cafe also serves stir-fried beef and chicken dishes until 4 p.m., and sweet-and-sour chicken all day. The stir-fries are fine but not extraordinary: the "spicy" chicken, for example, isn't very hot. Fans of spicy food—and anyone hungry for tasty dishes that are out of the ordinary—should instead check out the soups.

The *soon doo boo* (soft tofu and seafood soup) is served only after 4 p.m. and for lunch on Saturdays. It's flavored with red pepper, making it easily the hottest thing on the small menu, even when it's ordered mild. Shrimp, clams, and scallops are rare enough that the taste of seafood doesn't dominate, showing up just often enough to keep the soup's flavor from becoming boring. The broth of the *sulung tang*, a beef and clear noodle soup, is made by letting beef leg bones stew for several days. The resulting flavor is unique, but faint; I used most of the red peppers served on the side to give it a well-rounded taste. Both soups are available for dine in only and cost around \$6—a good value, considering that they're surprisingly hearty meals.

Broadway Cafe's hours are a bit out of the ordinary; the kitchen closes at 6:45 p.m. on weeknights, when Keeman pulls a thick electrical plug out of a socket next to the kitchen door to turn off the "open" sign. The restaurant closes at 2:30 p.m. on Saturday, and is closed all day Sunday. The cafe opens at 11 a.m., and the Changs usually take phoned-in lunch orders from about 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. After that, it's order-in only. "There are only two of us," Keeman explains, and they often can't cook and still answer the phone. People who come in to place an order "might wait a few minutes, but it's always hot food."

—Erick Trickey



ter a fire. Call for information on reopening and hours.

**Crow Bar**, 309 S. Main. 668-0111. Cigar bar featuring martinis, wines by the glass, single malt scotch, and a variety of cigars. No food. Thurs.-Sat. 6 p.m.-2 a.m. Closed Sun.-Wed. AE, DV, MC, V. ☉ Prices vary.

**CUBS' AC**, 1950 South Industrial (in Colonial Lanes). 665-4474. Specializing in pizza, sandwiches, Mexican food. Mon.-Thurs. 11 a.m.-11 p.m. (bar open till 1 a.m.), Fri. & Sat. 11 a.m.-midnight (bar open till 2 a.m.), Sun.

noon-midnight (bar closes at 10 p.m.) DV, MC, V. SrCit. ☉ \$

**Del Rio**, 122 W. Washington. 761-2530. Home of the famous Detburger. Also features pizza, Mexican food, salads, sandwiches. Mon.-Fri. 11:30 a.m.-1:45 a.m., Sat. noon-1:45 a.m., Sun. 5:30 p.m.-1:45 a.m. Food served till 1 a.m. ☉ \$

**Dominick's**, 812 Monroe. 662-5414. Pasta, pizza, Italian deli sandwiches, and drinks served in Mason jars. Rustic surroundings outside and inside. Favorite student haven across

from U-M law quad. Carryout available. Mon.-Sat. 10 a.m.-10 p.m. Closed Sun. DC, DV, MC, V. ☉ \$

**Flame Bar**, 112 W. Liberty. 662-9680. Gay bar with jukebox, video games, and photo gallery. No food. Daily 7:30 p.m.-2 a.m. ☉ \$

**Fraser's Pub**, 2045 Packard. 665-1955. Big-screen TV on all the time for sports fans. Burgers and other tavern food. Lunch specials. Carryout available. Mon.-Sat. 10 a.m.-2 a.m., Sun. noon-midnight. DV, MC, V. ☉ ☉ \$

**Full Moon Tavern & Saloon**, 311 S. Main. 665-8484. Barbecued baby back ribs, Tex-Mex specialties, including tuna fajitas, chili, sandwiches. Over 100 bottled beers. Sidewalk and rooftop (Fri. & Sat. evenings) dining available; seven hourly pool tables. Mon.-Fri. 4:30 p.m.-1 a.m. (Thurs. & Fri. till 2 a.m.), Sat. noon-2 a.m., Sun. 4 p.m.-1 a.m. AE, DV, MC, V. ☉ \$ to \$

**Grizzly Peak Brewing Company**, 120 W. Washington. 741-7325. Full menu, specializing in pasta and pizzas baked in a wood-fired oven; house-brewed beers. Daily 11 a.m.-11 p.m. (Fri. & Sat. till midnight). AE, DV, MC, V, P.C. Bday. ☉ \$

**Jonathon B Pub**, Briarwood mall, theater entrance. 668-7500. Chain restaurant featuring fish and chips and assorted sandwiches. Mon.-Sat. 11 a.m.-midnight (Fri. & Sat. till 2 a.m.), Sun. noon-6 p.m. AE, DV, MC, V. ☉ \$ to \$

**Mitch's Place**, 1301 South University. 665-2650. Cold kitchen menu, including deli and pita sandwiches. Full bar. Mon.-Sat. 5 p.m.-2 a.m. Closed Sun. AE, MC, V. ☉ \$

**Old Town**, 122 W. Liberty. 662-9291. Tavern serving burgers, sandwiches, soups, salads, and daily specials. Carryout available. Mon.-Fri. 11:30 a.m.-2 a.m., Sat. 4 p.m.-2 a.m., Sun. 5 p.m.-2 a.m. (Kitchen closes 10 p.m. Sun.-Tues.; 11 p.m. Wed.-Sat.). MC, V. ☉ \$ to \$

**One-Eyed Moose Tavern**, 207 S. Main. 994-8484. Salads, burgers, sandwiches, tavern suppers. Sidewalk cafe, nine hourly pool tables. Mon.-Wed. 11:30 a.m.-1 a.m., Thurs.-Sat. 11 a.m.-2 a.m. Closed Sun. AE, DV, MC, V. ☉ \$ to \$

**Scorekeepers Bar**, 310 Maynard. 995-0581. Campus-area sports bar with 32 TVs, serving burgers, chicken, sandwiches, munchies. Mon.-Thurs. 4 p.m.-2 a.m., Fri. & Sat. 11:30 a.m.-2 a.m. Closed Sun. AE, MC, V. Bday. ☉ \$

**Stonebridge Golf Club Grill**, 5315 S. Stonebridge. 429-8383. Grill food. Dinner menu. Open April-Oct. Daily 7 a.m.-9 p.m. ☉ \$

**Tater's**, 3530 Jackson Rd. (in Bel-Mark Lanes). 994-8433. Bowling-alley grill with burgers and sandwiches. Hours vary; call ahead. \$

**TGI Friday's**, 3015 W. Waters. 997-7050. Chain with a variety of items, including potato skins, Buffalo wings, sandwiches, pasta, enchiladas, and ribs. Daily 11 a.m.-2 a.m. Also Sat. & Sun. brunch 11 a.m.-3 p.m. AE, DV, MC, V. Bday. ☉ \$ to \$

**Touchdown Cafe**, 1220 South University. 665-7777. Buffalo wings, burgers, homemade pizza rolls, Cajun sandwiches, bar finger foods. Big-screen TVs show sporting events; 13 beers on tap. Mon.-Sat. 11 a.m.-2 a.m., Sun. noon-2 a.m. MC, V. ☉ \$

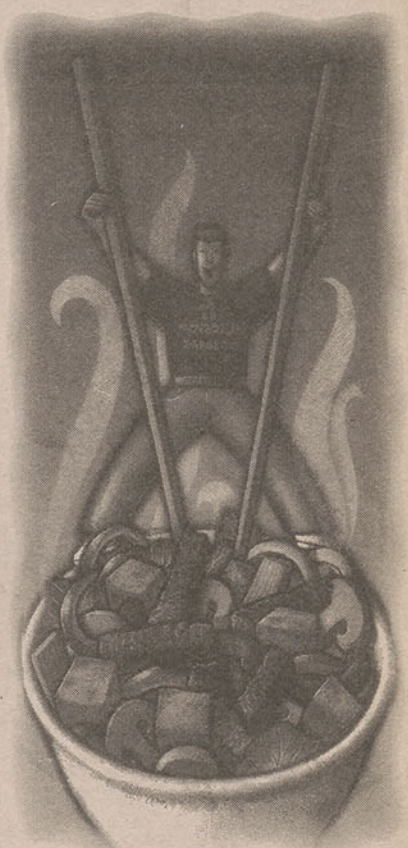
**Tripper's**, 3965 S. State. 665-1600. Sports bar with full menu from steaks and fish to burgers and nachos. Carryout available. Lunch buffet Mon.-Fri. 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Mon.-Sat. 11 a.m.-1 a.m. (Fri. & Sat. till 2 a.m.), Sun. noon-midnight. AE, MC, V. Bday. ☉ \$ to \$

### BREAKFAST & LUNCH SPOTS

Although they may also be open at dinnertime, these restaurants and sandwich shops specialize in quick fare for breakfast and lunch.

**Angelo's**, 1100 E. Catherine. 761-8996. Large breakfasts with omelets, waffles, and homemade raisin toast, daily soup and hot lunch specials. Counter and table service. Mon.-Fri.

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**Angelo's on the Side**, 1104 E. Catherine. 663-7222. Indoor/outdoor espresso/cappuccino spot; Angelo's regular menu also available. Mon.-Fri. 7 a.m.-4 p.m., Sat. 7 a.m.-3 p.m., Sun. 7 a.m.-2 p.m. Closed during July. NS \$

**Broken Egg Cafe**, 223 N. Main. 665-5340. Breakfasts, homemade soups, baked goods, sandwiches, salads. Newly expanded menu includes many low- and nonfat dishes. Mon.-Sat. 7 a.m.-3 p.m. (Sat. till 4 p.m.), Sun. 8 a.m.-4 p.m. MC, V, NS \$

**Cafe Marie**, 1759 Plymouth (Courtyard Shops). 662-2272. Specialty omelets, pancakes, and other breakfast foods; individual pots of cappuccino/coffee; burgers and sandwiches. Creative weekly specials. Daily 7 a.m.-3 p.m. AE, MC, V, SrCit. Bday. NS \$

**The Cloverleaf**, 201 E. Liberty. 662-1266. Breakfast all day, daily specials, burgers. Mon.-Fri. 6 a.m.-4 p.m., Sat. 7 a.m.-4 p.m., Sun. 8 a.m.-4 p.m. P.C. \$

**Frank's Restaurant**, 334 Maynard. 761-5699. American diner-style and Greek food. Breakfast anytime. Mon.-Sat. 7 a.m.-3 p.m., Sun. 9 a.m.-2 p.m. \$

**Fresh Cream Cafe**, 117 W. Washington. 665-8959. Homemade soups, salads, sandwiches. Daily specials, ice cream. Dine in or carry out. Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Closed Sat. & Sun. NS \$

**Jacques Patisserie**, 715 North University (Hamilton Square). 662-4700. Salads, deli sandwiches, croissants, pastries. Mon.-Thurs. 7 a.m.-7 p.m., Fri. 7 a.m.-5 p.m., Sat. 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Sun. 10 a.m.-3 p.m. (Sept.-Apr. only). P.C. NS \$

**Joe Joe's Cafe**, 222 N. Fourth Ave. 663-4080. Lunch counter with homemade soups, Greek specialties, vegetarian dishes, sandwiches, fresh-squeezed fruit and vegetable juices, doughnuts, muffins. Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-8 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Sun. noon-3 p.m. P.C. NS \$

**Michigan League Buffet**, 911 North University. 764-0446. Cafeteria-style lunch. Mon.-Fri. 11 a.m.-2 p.m. M-Card. SrCit. NS \$ to \$\$

**The Moveable Feast**, 407 N. Fifth Ave. (Ker-rytown). 663-3331. This outlet of the well-known restaurant offers gourmet soups, salads, homemade French bread, pastries, espresso, cappuccino, and more. Dine in or carry out. Mon.-Sat. 8 a.m.-6 p.m., Sun. noon-5 p.m. MC, V, P.C. NS \$

**Northside Grill**, 1015 Broadway. 995-0965. Family diner serving breakfast and lunch. Carryout available. Daily 7 a.m.-3 p.m. DV, MC, V. Bday. \$

**Sandwich Board**, 211 N. Main. 995-1366. Deli with sandwiches, salads, bagels, muffins, croissants. Mon.-Fri. 7 a.m.-3 p.m. MC, V, SrCit. Bday. \$ to \$\$

**University Club**, U-M Michigan Union, 530 S. State. 763-4648. Sandwiches, soup and salad bar, pastas. Salad carryout by the pound. Deli sandwiches to go. General public invited for lunch. Alcohol is sold only to faculty, staff, students, and alumni with appropriate identification. Mon.-Fri. 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Closed Sat. & Sun. Call for hours of home game football brunches. AE, MC, V. NS \$ to \$\$

## CATERERS

Many restaurants also provide catering services. Check the Yellow Pages.

**Fabulous Food**, 994-3663. Catering from a variety of downtown Ann Arbor restaurants. Many items available on short notice. Custom menus and full-service staff also available. AE, DV, MC, V, P.C.

**Food for All Seasons**, 1164 Broadway. 747-9099. Full-service catering and custom design for gatherings of all sizes. MC, V, P.C.

**Hunter's Harvest Catering**, 4027 Carpenter. 973-9071. Full-service catering for cocktail parties, weddings, graduations, banquets, and more. Specializes in corporate catering. MC, V, P.C.

**Katherine's Catering... and Special Events**, 359 Metty. 930-4270; weekends 930-9543. Catering and complete event production. Custom-designed menus for events of any size. MC, V, P.C.

**Perfectly Seasoned, Inc.**, 501 Eighth St. 663-6316. Full-service catering for all occasions. DV, MC, V, P.C.

**Romanoff Halls and Catering Service**, 5850 Pontiac Tr. 665-4967. Halls and outside pavilion available. Wide menu. Modern and classic cuisine. Specializes in weddings. Serves a beer garden-style barbecue dinner summer Fridays, 4-9 p.m. MC, V, P.C.

**Y&S Sandwich Cafe Catering**, 3770 Plaza, Suite 3, AA 48108. 662-7701. Full-service catering featuring Y&S wrap sandwiches made with lawash, salads, and gourmet desserts. AE, DV, MC, V, P.C.

## COFFEEHOUSES

**Amer's**, 530 S. State (Michigan Union). 747-6404. Coffees, Italian sodas, juices, pita wraps, pastries, bagels. (See also other loca-

tions under Delis & Bagels.) Sun.-Thurs. 7 a.m.-midnight, Fri. & Sat. 7 a.m.-8 p.m. (summer hours Mon.-Fri. 7 a.m.-midnight, Sat. & Sun. 9 a.m.-5 p.m.). NS \$

**Barnes & Noble Cafe**, 3245 Washtenaw. 677-6475. Starbucks coffee, teas, sodas, pastries, nonfat baked goods, soups, fruit juices. Mon.-Fri. 8 a.m.-11 p.m., Sat. 9 a.m.-11 p.m., Sun. 9 a.m.-9 p.m. AE, DV, MC, V, NS \$

**Cafe Anzu**, 1733 Plymouth (Courtyard Shops). 769-1212. Espresso house serving Lavazza coffee, Ghirardelli chocolates, pastries, soups, sandwiches, bagels. Mon.-Fri. 7





a.m.-midnight, Sat. & Sun. 8 a.m.-midnight.  
NS \$

**Cafe Espresso**, 612 E. Liberty (in Borders Books). 668-7652. Coffee, sodas, mocha-freeze drinks, soups, salads, pastries, fruit juices. Mon.-Sat. 9 a.m.-10 p.m. (Fri. & Sat. till 11 p.m.), Sun. 10 a.m.-8 p.m. AE, DV, MC, V, P.C. NS \$

**Cafe Felix**, 204 S. Main. 662-8650. Full-service coffee and cappuccino, light sandwiches, pastries, soups, home-baked bread. Mon.-Sat. 7 a.m.-11 p.m. (Fri. & Sat. till midnight), Sun. 8 a.m.-10 p.m. MC, V. NS \$

**Cafe Zola**, 112 W. Washington. 769-2020. Savory and sweet crêpes, coffee and tea, omelets, cookies and desserts, Belgian waffles, pastries, Turkish specialties, salads, and sandwiches. Mon.-Sat. 7 a.m.-midnight, Sun. 7 a.m.-11 p.m. MC, V, P.C. Bday. NS \$

**Caribou Coffee**, 309 S. State. 998-0402. Coffee, tea, sodas, pastries, tortes, sandwiches. Mon.-Fri. 7 a.m.-10 p.m., Sat. & Sun. 8:30 a.m.-10 p.m. MC, V, P.C. NS \$

**Casablanca Cafe**, 330 Maynard. 741-1827. Cafe in front of Shahrar's restaurant; offers Middle Eastern sandwich menu, coffee, pastries. Mon.-Sat. 7:30 a.m.-11 p.m., Sun. 11 a.m.-10 p.m. Call for summer hours. MC, V, P.C. NS \$

**Cava Java**. Coffees, sodas, desserts, pastries. Salads and sandwiches at Main St. location. 1101 SOUTH UNIVERSITY (741-JAVA): Mon.-Fri. 7 a.m.-midnight (Fri. till 12:30 a.m.), Sat. & Sun. 7:30 a.m.-midnight (Sat. till 12:30 a.m.). 300 S. MAIN (668-6770): daily 7 a.m.-11 p.m. (Fri. & Sat. till 1 a.m.). NS \$

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**Gratzi Cafe**, 222 S. State. 741-4445. A variety of coffees, sodas, desserts, pastries. Mon.-Sat. 7 a.m.-midnight, Sun. 8 a.m.-midnight. NS \$

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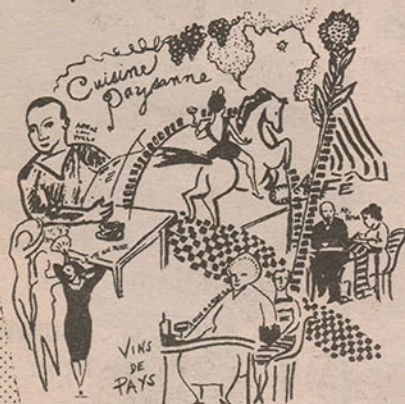
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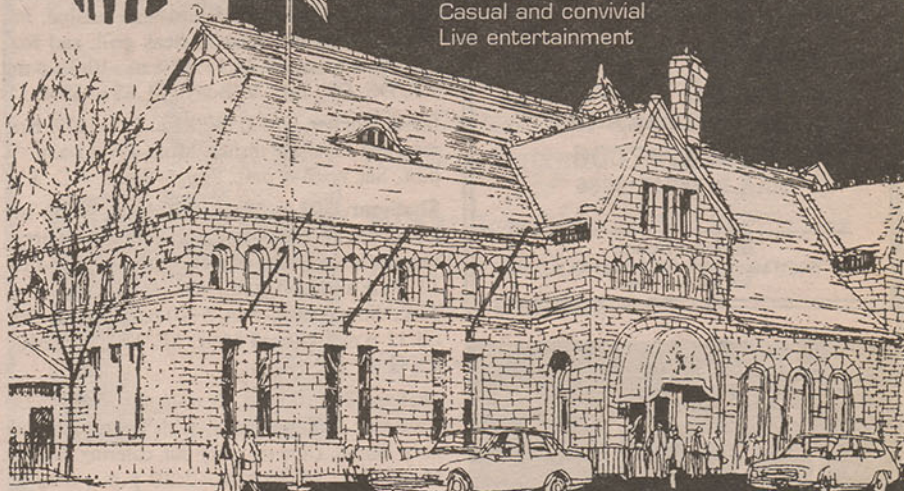
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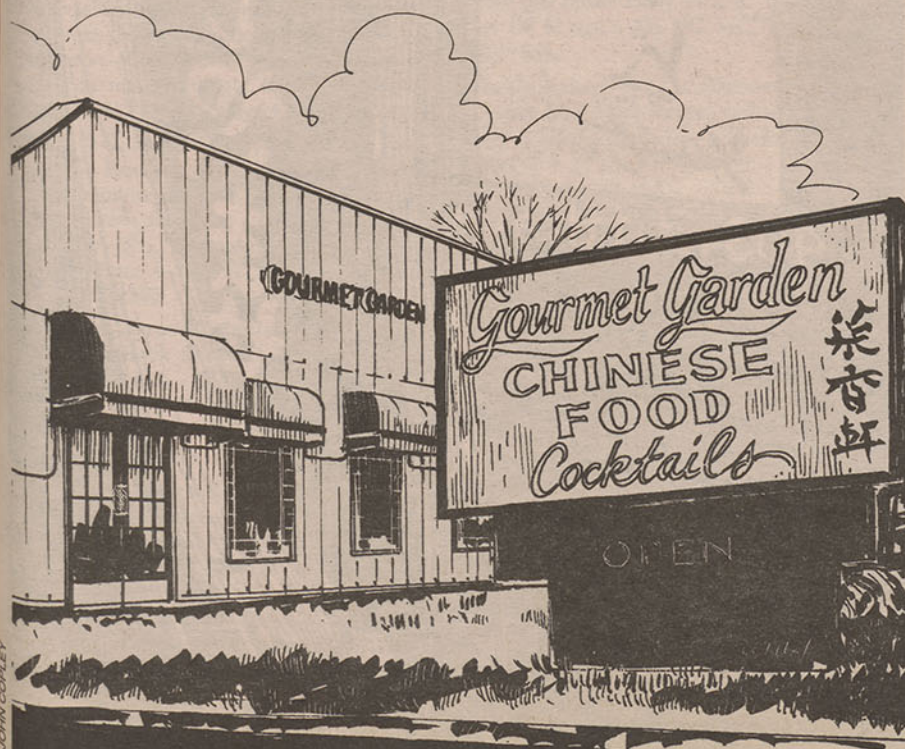


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**Siam Cuisine**, 313 Braun. 663-4083. Thai cuisine, including stir-fries, noodle and curry dishes. Lunch Mon.-Sat. 11:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.; dinner Mon.-Sat. 5-9:30 p.m. (Fri. & Sat. till 10:30 p.m.). Closed Sun. AE, DV, MC, V. \$

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**Blue Nile**, 221 E. Washington. 998-4746. Ethiopian cuisine; various meat and vegetable dishes. Mon.-Thurs. 5-9:30 p.m., Fri. & Sat. 4-10:30 p.m., Sun. 3-9 p.m. AE, DC, DV, MC, V. P.C. \$ to NS \$ to \$\$\$

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**Argiero's**, 300 Detroit. 665-0444. Homemade southern Italian food in a quaint former gas station. Mon.-Sat. 11:30 a.m.-10 p.m. (Fri. & Sat. till 10:30 p.m.), Sun. noon-9 p.m. MC, V. Bday. \$



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**Chianti Tuscan Grill**, 123 S. Main. 332-0800. Northern Italian cuisine. Mon.-Thurs. 5-10 p.m., Fri. & Sat. 11 a.m.-11 p.m., Sun. 4-9 p.m. AE, MC, V. \$ to \$\$\$

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om till midnight). Sun. 5-9 p.m. (closed  
un. during the summer). AE, DC, DV, MC,  
Bday. ☼ \$\$\$ to \$\$\$\$

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DC, DV, MC, V, P.C. Bday. ☼ \$\$\$

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Sun. 11 a.m.-10 p.m. (Fri. & Sat. till mid-  
night). Closed Mon. Rathskeller bar open  
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town). 994-6424. Provincial French cuisine.  
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a.m.-2 p.m.; dinner Tues.-Sun. 5-9 p.m. (Fri.  
& Sat. till 10 p.m.), Sat. & Sun. brunch 10:30  
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DC, DV, MC, V, SrCit. Bday. ☼ \$\$ to \$\$\$

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3278. French-accented American cuisine in a  
restored Victorian home. Hors d'oeuvres, en-  
treets, desserts. Catering. Mon.-Sat. 5-10 p.m.,  
Sun. 4-9 p.m. AE, DC, DV, MC, V, P.C.  
Bday. ☼ NS \$\$\$\$

**Olive Garden**, 445 E. Eisenhower. 663-6875.  
Chain restaurant featuring Italian cuisine and  
seasonal specialties. Daily 11 a.m.-10 p.m.  
(Fri. & Sat. till 11 p.m.). AE, DC, DV, MC, V,  
P.C. ☼ \$\$\$

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a.m.), Sun. noon-midnight. AE, M-Card, MC,  
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**Paesano's**, 3411 Washtenaw. 971-0484. Ital-  
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ryout. Mon.-Fri. 11 a.m.-11 p.m. (Fri. till mid-  
night), Sat. noon-midnight, Sun. noon-10 p.m.  
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**Palio**, 347 S. Main. 930-6100. Country Italian  
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summer months) serves a full menu plus mini-  
entrees "fresh from the tray." Mon.-Fri. 5-  
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midnight, Sun. 4-10 p.m. AE, DC, DV, MC,  
V. Bday. ☼ \$\$\$

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p.m.), Sun. noon-10 p.m. Open till midnight  
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fornia-style Mexican food. Mon.-Sat. 11  
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ing burritos with veggie options. Mon.-Sat. 11  
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p.m. AE, DC, DV, MC, V. SrCit. Bday. ☼ \$  
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garitas and beer specials. Mon.-Sat. 11 a.m.-  
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p.m. Bar open till 2 a.m. except Sun. AE, DC,  
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MC, V. ☼ \$ to \$

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sity. 996-9580. Mexican food, including burri-  
tos, tacos, and tortas (Mexican sandwiches).  
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Sun. 11 a.m.-2 a.m. DV, M-Card, MC, V. \$

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Fri. 11 a.m.-2 p.m.; dinner Mon.-Fri. 5-8 p.m.  
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Shops). 665-4430. Bakery and Middle Eastern  
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Sat. noon-11 p.m., Sun. noon-10 p.m. AE,  
MC, V. Bday. ☼ \$\$\$

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**Domino's.** Hand-tossed traditional, deep-dish, and thin-crust pizzas; also, twisty bread and Buffalo wings. Subs sold at Ann St. store. No seating. 2715 PLYMOUTH (665-9805), 2259 W. LIBERTY (769-4555), 1031 E. ANN (761-1111), 1200 PACKARD (761-9393), 3190 PACKARD (971-0088): daily 11 a.m.-midnight (Fri. & Sat. till 2 a.m.); 25 JACKSON INDUSTRIAL (formerly N. Maple location, 913-8888): daily 11 a.m.-11 p.m. (Fri. & Sat. till midnight). P.C. \$ \$ to \$ \$

**Faz's Hello Pizza,** 2259 W. Liberty. 913-5588. Pizza, subs, salads. No seating. Mon.-Sat. 11 a.m.-11 p.m., Sun. 4-11 p.m. (summer hours daily 5-11 p.m.). P.C. \$ \$

**Jet's Pizza,** 1166 Broadway. 662-5387. Pizza, subs, salads, breadsticks. No seating. Mon.-Sat. 11 a.m.-3 a.m., Sun. noon-midnight (summer hours daily 11 a.m.-11 p.m.). P.C. \$ \$

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daily 11 a.m.-10 p.m. (Fri. & Sat. till 11 p.m.), Sun. 11 a.m.-10 p.m. AE, DV, MC, V, P.C. ☼ ☼ ☼ to \$\$\$

**Pizza Hut Delivery**, 1906 Packard. 994-9940. Pizza and sandwiches. No seating. Daily 11 a.m.-midnight (Fri. & Sat. till 1 a.m.). AE, DV, MC, V, P.C. SrCit. ☼ ☼ to \$\$\$

**Pizza Republic**, 883 W. Eisenhower (Colonnade). 747-9000, fax: 747-9186. (See box, below.) Gourmet pizza; 10 different sauces and cheeses, 50 toppings, and nonfat dough and sauces. Also subs, bruschetta, salads with homemade dressings. Catering available. Mon.-Sat. 11 a.m.-9 p.m. Closed Sun. AE, DV, MC, V, P.C. NS ☼ ☼ ☼

**Pizzeria Uno**, 1321 South University. 769-1744. Deep-dish Chicago-style pizza, specialty pizzas, and a selection of appetizers and entrees, including pasta. Mon.-Sat. 11 a.m.-11:30 p.m. (Fri. & Sat. till 12:30 a.m.), Sun. noon-11 p.m. Bar open till 2 a.m. AE, DC, DV, MC, V, P.C. ☼ ☼ to \$\$\$

**Sbarro**, Briarwood Mall, theater entrance. 996-9709. Cafeteria serving pizza, calzones, pasta dishes. Mon.-Sat. 10 a.m.-9 p.m., Sun. 11 a.m.-6 p.m. ☼



## Pizza Republic

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On a recent quest to find a restaurant that offers affordable lunchtime prices and a generally healthy menu that doesn't compromise taste, our party of three descended upon Pizza Republic, located off Eisenhower Parkway in the Colonnade.

The interior is decorated in traditional Italian-American restaurant themes: black-and-white checked tablecloths, matching curtains, and a half dozen green, white, and red Italian flags draped from the ceiling.

We zeroed in on the all-you-can-eat special: a selection of pizza and pasta dishes costing about \$5 with a drink. We liked the light, crisp crust of the pizza. Of the toppings we tried, our favorite was the Mexican pizza, a spicy combo of jalapeños, ground sirloin, and a tangy taco sauce. Not far behind was the Feta Fest pie, with perfectly blended feta and house-blend cheeses. The Garden Veggie pizza was made with large cuts of fresh broccoli, Roma tomatoes, onions, and mushrooms. Our group of omnivores enjoyed it, but vegetarians will probably be the biggest fans because of the large and plentiful veggies. The barbecue chicken pizza tasted somewhat heavier than our other choices, but it was a tangy alternative to the traditional toppings.

The buffet also featured two varieties of deep-dish lasagna: five-cheese and spinach. Both tasted as if they'd been pulled straight from the oven, their cheeses dripping and stretching across our plates. Though both were drenched with a five-cheese blend, we preferred the added flavor of the spinach.

Three desserts were offered, including cinnamon sticks and cookies of the day. Even after the filling lunch, we somehow found room to split a warm, soft, good-sized chocolate-chunk cookie.

—Kristy Short



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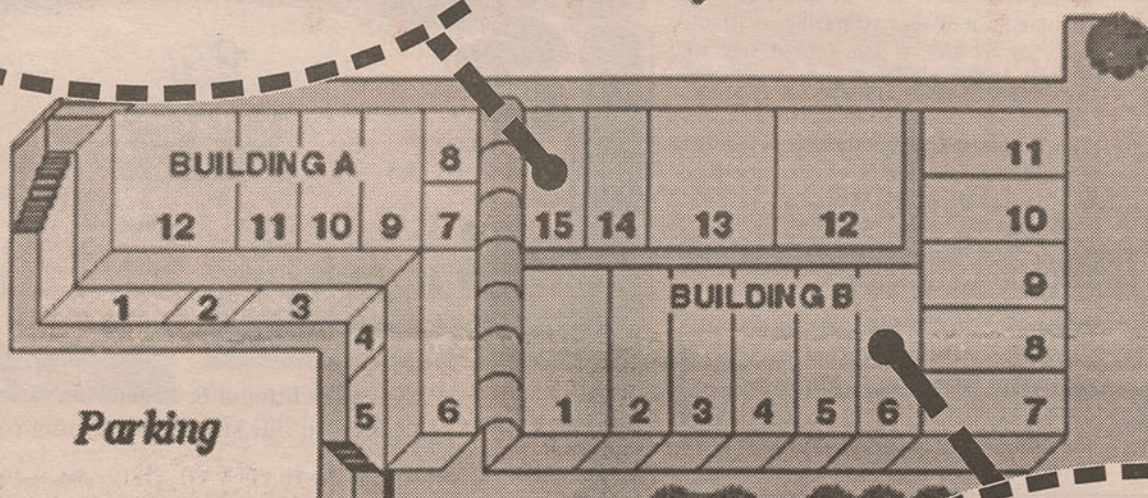
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# SHOPPING

*Ann Arbor retailers have learned to appeal to an audience that's lively, diverse, and value-oriented.*

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When asked what distinguishes Ann Arbor shoppers, retailers almost invariably say they're "very value-oriented." This is a polite way to say "tightfisted." Consequently, Ann Arbor retailers are exceptionally careful to offer high-quality, interesting products at the most reasonable prices they can manage. That's not the whole story, though. Visitors to the city account for as much as 50 percent of downtown sales, and their discretionary purchases allow retailers to stock unusual and luxurious items which, mixed with the practical, create a high-spirited shopping atmosphere.

Ann Arbor shopping falls into three broad areas: the lively city center; the huge destination centers along I-94 on the fast-growing south side; and neighborhood shopping along the city's strips and boulevards.

## CITY CENTER

If all of Ann Arbor's central city stores were clumped tightly together, they would comprise an area bigger than most malls—and certainly more diverse. But instead the shops are distributed throughout a downtown that centers on Main Street, the colorful Kerrytown market district, and the U-M campus area, split between State Street and South University Avenue. The Main Street and State Street areas actually touch, and the market area has expanded enough almost to join them. Still, most shoppers drive their cars when jaunting from one district to another, treating each as a separate destination.

**Main Street** draws a baseline through the middle of town. It began as a raw dirt street where farmers, often European born, not only shopped, but sought out social interaction on Saturdays. The hardware and farm supply stores they patronized have long since given way to restaurants and cafes—but it's still a place for weekend socializing.

You can still find descendants of the shops that supported the farm economy. Ehnis and Son on **West Liberty Street**, between Main and Ashley streets, sells heavy denim overalls and hefty, durable work boots. A block north, on **West Washington Street**, Vogel's Locksmiths duplicates keys and installs locks in an old-time setting that can probably never be duplicated itself.

Other stores recall downtown's second phase, as a regional shopping destination. For most of this century, and especially in the increasingly affluent shopping days that followed World War II, downtown was a busy place, attracting shoppers from around the county with a mix of genteel department stores and family-owned specialty shops serving every need from groceries to furs.

*Right: Fine food and specialty stores fill the Kerrytown Shops on North Fifth Avenue. Below: Jules on South Main Street is the Renoir of furniture stores.*



In the years after Briarwood opened in 1973, the department stores either moved to the mall or faded away. But throughout downtown, some of the mid-century specialty shops remain. The block of **East Liberty Street** between Main and South Fourth Avenue enjoys three of them: Dobbs Optical, which opened in 1943, melds an old-fashioned family feeling with Calvin Klein and other contemporary frame designs; Sam's Clothing Store opened in 1946 and still carries thick plaid flannel shirts, blue jeans, long johns, and Swiss army knives; and Chelsea Flower Shop, which dates to the 1930s, still creates joyous bouquets ranging from lacy Victorian to contemporary designs incorporating Mylar balloons.

As established retailers left downtown in the early 1970s, rents fell and storefronts became vacant. But what looked like a disaster turned into an opportunity. Innovative would-be retailers with small budgets were able to jump in, creating art galleries and little shops that were, and are, works of art themselves. At the same time, downtown was becoming a dining and entertainment center, attracting crowds at night, especially on weekends. In response, small shops now stay open late, adding to the vitality of downtown evenings.

The busy block of **South Main** between William and Liberty flaunts a glamorous new arcade in a building that began as a corset factory and, until 1994, housed downtown's last department store. Jules and Atys, its two new home furnishings and accessories stores, show how an owner's taste and beliefs can create a shop as artful as a painting. Atys is like a work by Mondrian, with classic contemporary designs of

serene, sometimes severe, simplicity; its bowls, flatware, and jewelry are frequently made from industrial materials. Jules, on the other hand, calls to mind a Renoir, with its big furniture sporting bouffant, loose slipcovers in decoratively woven fabrics—along with whimsically painted mirror frames, beaded candleholders, and romantic silk flowers.

Two jewelers, Seyfried's and Schlanderer's, have stood a block apart on Main Street for decades. More recently, they've been joined by Urban Jewelers, which left a shopping strip in 1988 to come downtown. The Urbans design glowing and graceful contemporary and traditional custom pieces and do thoughtful and economic repair work as well. At Abracadabra, another custom jeweler nearby on Liberty, even security is an art form: the door and windows are protected with a graceful, handmade steel gate.

According to most retailers, furniture stores can't succeed downtown because their products are too clumsy to load and unload, and basement shops seldom survive due to lack of visibility. Grace's Select Second Hand and Antiques has been defying both rules for four years. Located on Main just north of Washington, the huge downstairs store is jammed with an exhaustive amalgam of furniture, knick-knacks, and jewelry—each piece waiting for the customer who will cherish it for its oddity, utility, or low price.

**South Fourth Avenue**, which parallels Main to the east, is full of intriguing stores. The elegant Pen In Hand sells fine stationery, custom invitations, and gift items, including swell writing pens. Pure Productions carries clothing made from hemp fibers. Common Language, a comfortable alternative bookstore, specializes in feminist, gay, and lesbian books, and Aunt Agatha's mystery bookstore is bountifully stocked with new and used volumes. Across the street, Antelope Antiques is a good place for a knowledgeable conversation about coins or Ann Arbor collectibles. Around the corner on **East Washington Street** are Artful

Exchange, an art resale and consignment shop, and the Wisteria Gallery across the street, selling contemporary Chinese art.

On **Ashley Street**, which parallels Main on the west, Vault of Midnight Comix has the electric energy of young owners and young customers and is a good place to find the graphic literature that speedy bunch follows. Ashley also houses Yribar Gallery, which plans to be open as late as midnight this year; Rage of the Age, selling clothing and jewelry from the glamorous 1920s through the 1960s (this shop has limited hours, but will also open by appointment); and Jewel Heart, an exotic shop selling exquisite products such as hand-woven jackets and rugs made by and supporting Tibetan Buddhists in exile.

The Main Street area has many clothing stores, including the whimsical Collected Works, the chic Ayla, and on West Washington, the classy Voilà for women. A collection of fabulous galleries includes Arcadian Too (which has a sister store near the U-M campus), lined with antique jewelry, stained-glass lamps, and Victorian furniture; Barclay Gallery, with its antiquities and Japanese prints; Sixteen Hands, selling outdoor furnishings, jewelry, ceramics, clothing, and gift cards; and Selo/Shevel at two locations—one with a mix of ethnic and contemporary crafts, and one specializing in contemporary glass and jewelry.

The **Kerrytown Historic Market District** is a few blocks north of the Main Street area. Food is a major attraction here. The area's defining presence, the **Ann Arbor Farmers' Market**, is open from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturdays year-round and during the same hours on Wednesdays from May to December. The **Ann Arbor Artisan Market** fills the market space with art and crafts on Sundays from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., May to December.

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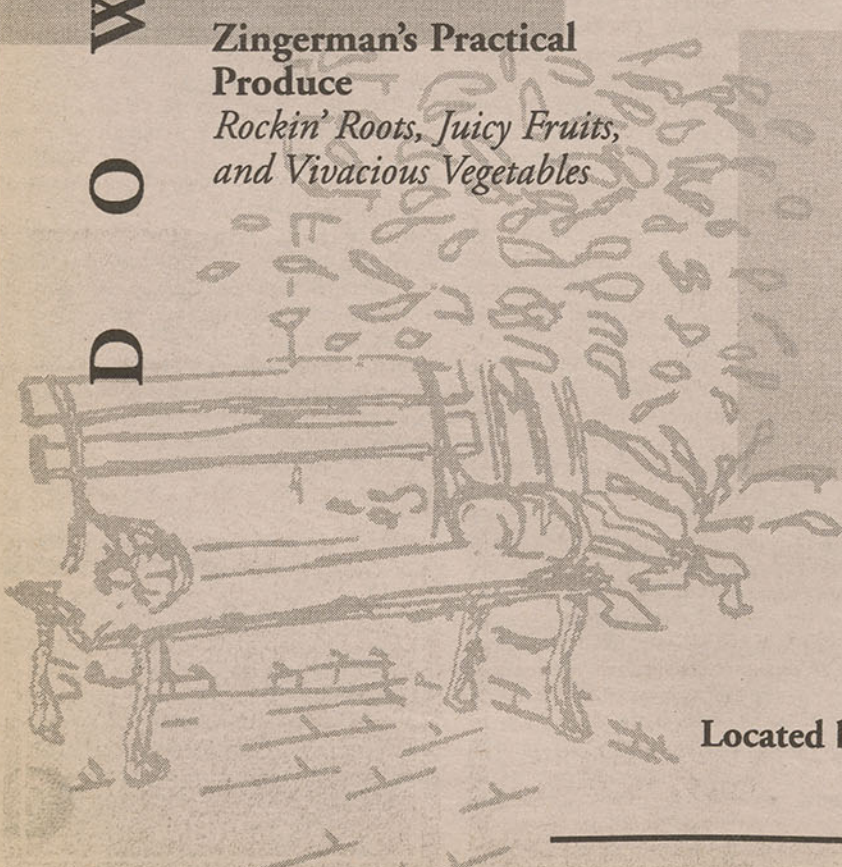
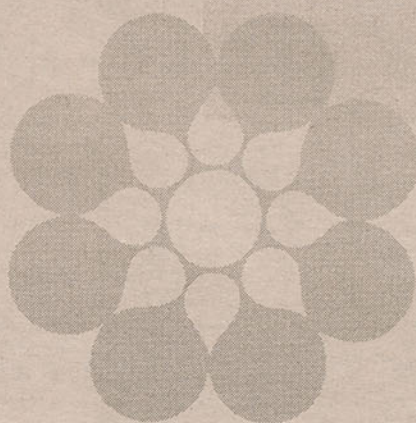
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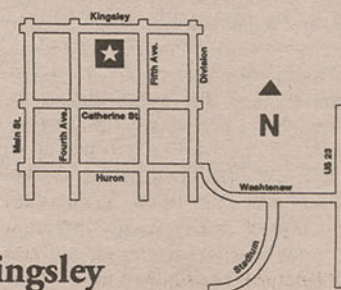
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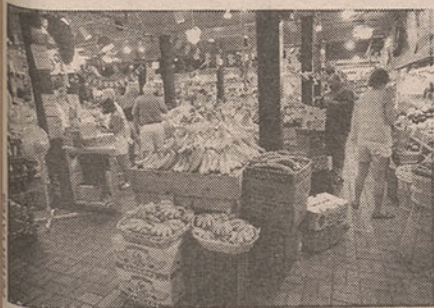


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the spring, quickly followed by succulent asparagus and bedding plants. Summer is a jumble of color—flowers, peppers, tomatoes, radishes, and eggplants. The smell of apples announces autumn. The market is usually jammed with squinty-eyed customers—like whalers looking for the big catch—concentrating on spotting the perfect peach or showiest dahlia.

Monahan's Fish Market, in Kerrytown's Market Building, is acclaimed for the freshness of its fish and for its delicious daily seafood soups. Sparrow Meats prepares stuffed roasts and fancy sausages for cooks who like to just pop dinner in the oven. Partners in Wine has a steady clientele who depend on them for choice cheeses and carefully selected wines. The market also has a flower shop, a tea and coffee vendor, and foods for dining in or carryout. Zingerman's Practical Produce makes every peach look its succulent best—to be expected from an offspring of the fabulous Zingerman's deli and coffeehouse, a short block away.

To prepare your haul, Kitchen Port upstairs in Kerrytown's Luick Building offers expert advice as well as the finest kitchen products. The Luick and Godfrey buildings also house furniture, gift, and clothing stores, along with a beauty shop and travel agency. Three shops—Alexandra's, Fashions-N-Things, and Vintage to Vogue—make this a high-profile fantasia for women's wear, ranging from \$10 T-shirts to \$400 suits. Hollander's sells exquisite papers for writing, wrapping, and for covering boxes and memory books.

Across the Farmers' Market from Kerrytown, the Market Place building houses offices and a row of exciting galleries. Animality sells art and handmade crafts with animal themes. Next door, the DeBoer Gallery has a zesty mix of whimsical sculptures, painted home and garden furniture, scrumptious hand-knitted sweaters, delicate jewelry, colorful ceramics, and more. Inuit Art of the Northwest Territories sells highly esteemed Eskimo prints, sculptures, and most recently, appliquéd cloth wall pieces. The row is completed by the Berman/Madzia Galeria and Lighting Studio, combining contemporary, mostly European light fixtures and glass accessories with forefront painting, sculpture, and jewelry.

Two of Ann Arbor's many secondhand stores are on Detroit Street. The Tree sells used clothing, and the Treasure Mart holds a bounty of used household items. The Susan Bay Design Studio, in a lovely triangular-shaped building north of the Treasure Mart, is its opposite in milieu, selling elegant high-end home furnishings and offering highly regarded design services.

Stretching back from the Farmers' Market toward downtown, North Fourth Avenue reflects environmental, health, and spiritual interests. The People's Food Co-op is an enduring example of the 1960s cooperative movement—updated and vital in the 1990s with bountiful displays of produce and food products. Crazy Wisdom stocks books and artifacts of a spiritual nature, Fourth Avenue Birkenstock specializes in physically sound footwear, and Adam's Garden of Eden sells hydroponic gardening supplies.

Several blocks south of downtown, six specialty food stores are located in South Main

Market, on Main just south of Madison: By the Pound, with a huge variety of bulk flour, legumes, candy, spices, and plenty more; a Dough Boys Bakery; the Gourmet Goose, with fabulous sandwiches, carryout salads and entrees, and catering services; another Partners in Wine, which sells cheese as well as wine; Fertile Crescent, a combined produce and Middle Eastern food shop; and the Butcher Block meat market. Across the street, Delux Drapery offers goods and services for every kind of window treatment; Overture Audio, with a perfectionist staff, sells fine audio components; and a Sherwin-Williams paint store does careful color-matching.

—JANIS

The heart of Ann Arbor is the U-M campus, and the State Street area emphasizes university community values: books, travel, music, theater, and interesting characters. Borders originated here in the 1970s, and locals still consider it their own, even though the Ann Arbor store is now the flagship of a national chain. Its growth emboldened smaller area bookshops to vie for its old place as the in-depth store with personal charm and service. Shaman Drum on State Street excels in depth of titles in the humanities. Used-book stores satisfy the dual urges of thriftiness and eccentricity at Dawn Treader, David's Books, and Books in General; these shops often have current books at used prices. In addition to a fabulous selection of used books for children and adults, Kaleidoscope carries mid-century memorabilia, including curvaceous radios, old marbles, and toy trains.

Sharp-eyed shoppers in this area will find clothing stores intermingled among the restaurants and service businesses. Kioti has batik and handwoven clothing from Indonesia, while Orchid Lane features clothing and artifacts from Mexico and Central America. Both shops also carry quite a few mainstream items, including denim dresses, T-shirt dresses, two-piece pant outfits, and silver jewelry, at very reasonable prices. Bivouac on State Street carries big names in outerwear such as Patagonia and Woolrich for men and women; they also recently reintroduced chic women's wear by big names such as DKNY, Mossimo, and Diesel. Van Boven's Menswear and Marty's Menswear on State Street carry mainstream menswear; Marty's is a popular place for tuxedo rentals.

The lofty peaked glass roof of the Nickels Arcade casts diffuse light over shoppers passing through no matter what the weather. The landmark building's graciousness attracts equally gracious businesses. Van Boven shoes is an old-timer selling high-quality shoes, including Mephisto and Allen-Edmonds. Matthew Hoffmann sells his sculptural jewelry, belt buckles, and eyeglass frames in a spot that looks like a big glass jewelry box. The Arcadian, which also has a shop on Main Street, stocks antique jewelry, including a huge selection of cameos, along with glassware, furniture, and quilts. There's also Maison Edwards, specializing in hard-to-find travel items; Maison Edwards Tobacconist; the Caravan gift shop, with windup toys, tiny handblown glass animals, stuffed toys, and foreign language greeting cards; the Clay Gallery, owned by local potters who sell their work there; University Flower Shop; and Chris Triola, selling thick, richly designed knits for women.

Other unusual specialty shops include Suwanee Springs Leather on Liberty; it's the place to go for buttery soft leather coats and jackets, bold leather handbags, and fine quality shoes, all available either ready-made or custom-crafted. Elle Silver Fox sells exuberant silver jewelry in a high-personality setting—but at low, low prices. Second-floor shops in the area include conservative service businesses such as Arslanian Custom Tailoring, the funky Cat's Meow and Rebop, selling a mixture of vintage and new clothing, and In Flight Sports, selling Frisbee equipment and Grateful Dead memorabilia.

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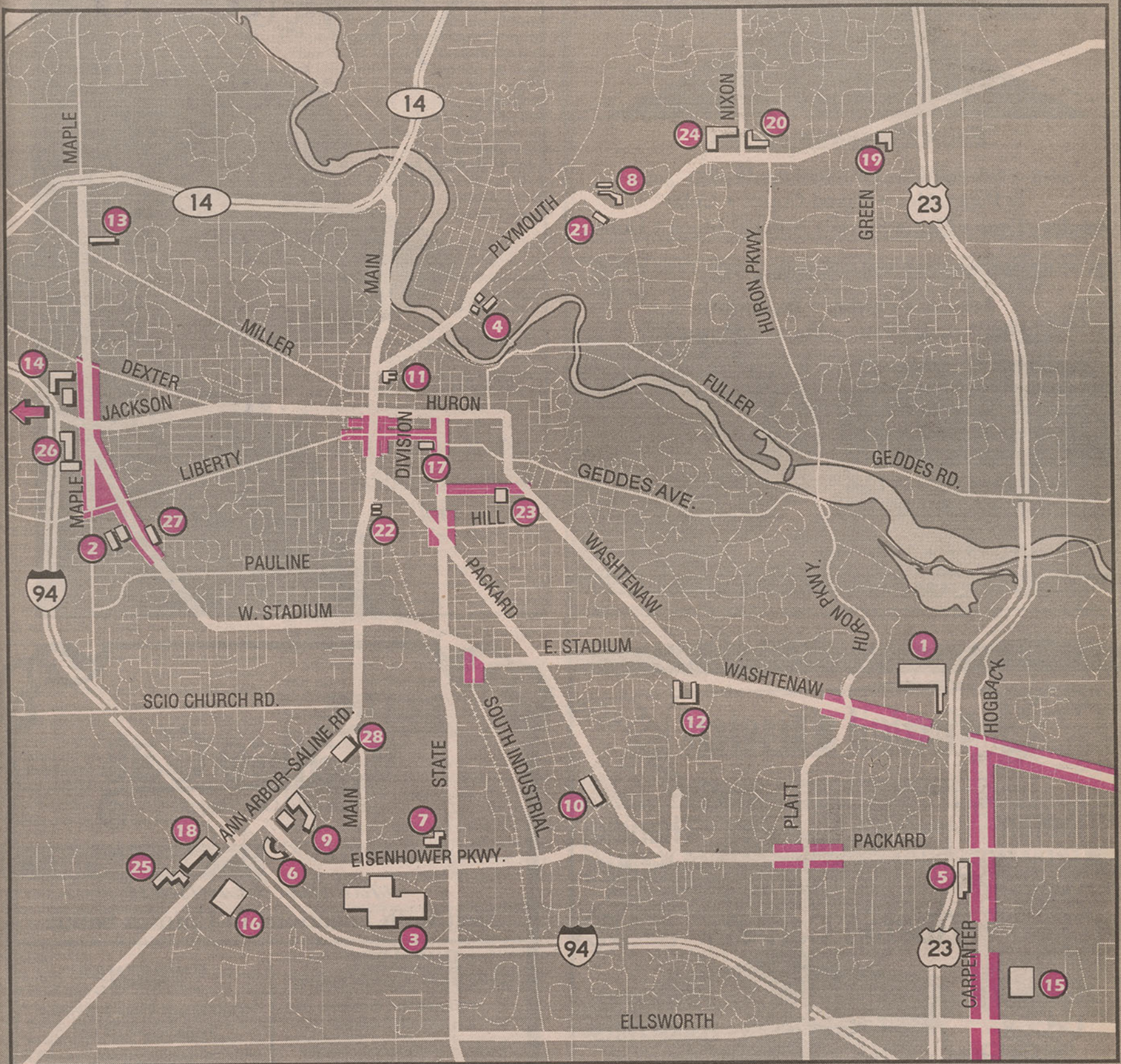
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On the other side of the U-M Diag, the South University area is geared to the needs of university students, who walk to campus beneath the flashy red, green, blue, and yellow awnings of numerous restaurants. Stores are dotted among them. Ulrich's sells mostly textbooks, U-M insignia clothing, and gifts in their main store; the combined Ulrich's computer supply and art supply stores are tops in their fields—and their young employees like to show off their knowledge. Middle Earth is South U's major emporium, with surprising stuff from jelly beans to T-shirts and greeting cards with snide sayings to museum-quality imported African craftwork. The Earport displays a lot of inexpensive earrings in wall cases and more expensive pieces in counter-height cases. Schlenderer on South University sells fine watches and jewelry—with plenty of diamond engagement rings. Tower Records and WhereHouse Records are well-located for the student crowd, and they're big enough to draw shoppers from all over the city. Yercho's Clothing specializes in sprightly, hip clothes. The look currently tends to be either very tight and shiny or very loose and faded.

## THE SOUTH SIDE

Over the past twenty-five years, most of the routine shopping for necessities that once took place downtown has migrated to a galaxy of shopping centers along I-94 on the city's south side.

On State Street just north of the freeway, Briarwood mall is the area's dominant retail presence—a clean, efficient, and up-beat shopping, dining, and entertainment hall in a nice, safe, weatherproof box. Briarwood hosts all four of the city's remaining department stores. The brightly lit corridors between them are lined with more than 120 smaller shops.

Hudson's, J. C. Penney, Jacobson's, and Sears anchor the mall's four sides. Hudson's is the most vivacious of the big stores; shoppers often get to enjoy the uplift of live piano music, and the store's Marketplace food section almost always has a line of customers waiting to buy salads and fruit-topped frozen yogurt. The small Michigan-based Jacobson's chain is a premier shop with superb, somewhat conservative clothing, including elegant evening wear, and attentive salespeople. Jacobson's has new corporate management, and special purchase promotions in spring 1997 began to signal possible changes to come. J. C. Penney specializes in "soft lines"—clothing and home fashions—while Sears offers everything from refrigerators to children's shoes.

The mall is packed with shoe stores, in-

cluding Athlete's Foot and Foot Locker; children's fashion specialists, including Gap Kids, Gymboree, and The Limited Too; women's fashion shops, including Ann Taylor, Express, Gantos, Lane Bryant, Maternite by Mothers Work, Talbots, and Victoria's Secret; men's fashions at Bachrach Clothing, Structure, President Tuxedo, and Randazzo Tuxedo; and music and video at Saturday Matinee/Record Town and Suncoast Motion Picture Company.

Briarwood's community outreach efforts include visits with Santa Claus and the Easter Bunny, and the mall welcomes walkers and exercisers in the early morning hours before the shops open. M-Care sponsors hour-long light aerobics sessions Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from 9 to 10 a.m. Briarwood is located off State Street between Eisenhower Parkway and I-94; the information phone number is 761-9550. Store hours are Mondays through Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m., and Sundays from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

For most of its history, Briarwood has been protected from nearby competition by city planning policies, which barred other retailers within a half-mile of the mall. Though that ban was relaxed in the early 1990s, there is still far less retail activity around Briarwood than near most similar malls in other cities. In the small retail space in Concord Center, at Eisenhower and State, Cost Plus World Market is scheduled to open in the fall of 1997, featuring imported furniture, foods, and housewares. Art Van, a Michigan furniture chain, has a big store next door on Eisenhower going head-to-head with the locally owned Tyner's Furniture, on State south of the freeway. Both will face new competition early in 1998, when La-Z-Boy Furniture Galleries is due to open on the Briarwood ring road.

Even before planners loosened their restrictions, Briarwood was beginning to feel increasing competition from a pair of newer centers less than a mile to the west. Where Briarwood is polished in setting and presentation, its challengers are simple, stripped-down selling machines—befitting the retail approach of their "big-box" discount tenants.

Some people say that big-box stores take their name from the large, still-in-the-carton items sold there; others say the term refers to the big, boxy buildings themselves. Whatever the origin, Cranbrook Village, at the corner of Ann Arbor-Saline Road and Eisenhower Parkway, houses two of them: ABC Warehouse (appliances and electronics) and Office Depot. Cranbrook's third anchor, Mervyn's, is the Dayton-Hudson company's mid-price chain, with products priced and styled to fit between their Hudson and Target offerings. Other tenants include Pier One, Ethan Allen, and the locally owned Blue Heron Wine Shop and Deli.

Across Eisenhower, at the Colonnade—the strip with a hip (the building is curved instead of straight)—Heslops tableware and gift shop has proven that, with its vigorous bridal registry as a base, it could safely leave Briarwood and succeed as a destination store. Used-computer sales are so well geared to the Ann Arbor market that the three-year-old Computer Renaissance here has been able to expand twice.

On the south side of I-94, there's a huge 24-hour Meijer on the east side of Ann Arbor-Saline Road, and Oak Valley, anchored by Target, on the west. A recent visitor from New York was astonished by the size of these superstores—land in her area is so scarce that the convenience of immensity isn't possible. Of course, size isn't everything—in a remarkable design snafu, Oak Valley's creators produced a road system so prone to congestion that they've had to implement one-way drive-ways to keep traffic moving.

Target is Oak Valley's busiest destination, but other big-box draws include Best Buy (appliances and electronics), OfficeMax and FurnitureMax, and MC Sports. Several local stores are tucked in between the giants, including Country Gifts, SW Jewelers, Music Go Round (which buys, consigns, and sells used musical instruments), and Dragon's Lair Futons (which carries plenty of inexpensive bold furniture in



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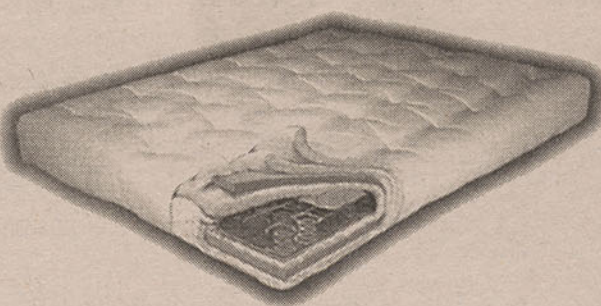


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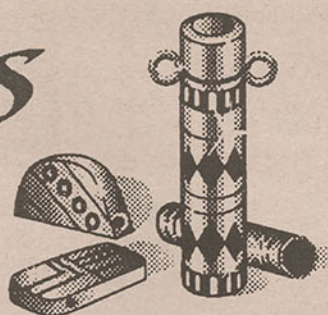
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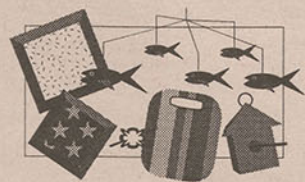
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### STRIPS & BOULEVARDS

At this writing, **Arborland Mall** is about to be completely overhauled. Ann Arbor's first shopping center, located at the intersection of Washtenaw Avenue and US-23, has struggled ever since Briarwood opened. Now, preliminary plans approved by city council in spring 1997 call for the main portion of the thirty-five-year-old mall to be demolished. In its place will rise even more big-box stores similar to current tenants OfficeMax, Toys R Us, Service Merchandise, and Burlington Coat Factory. The reconstruction could start as early as the beginning of 1998. In the meantime, many small shops plan to carry on as long as they can, though, in the summer of 1997, most were tentatively looking for new quarters.

Though faded, Arborland remains at the heart of a busy retail shopping strip along **Washtenaw Avenue**. Behind a sea of parking lots and a helter-skelter miscellany of attention-grappling signage, you'll find Frank's Nursery, Blinds-To-Go, and Color Tile and Carpet lined up across the street from the old mall. Heading west, the **Pittsfield Village Shopping Center** at the corner of Washtenaw and Pittsfield Boulevard begins with old stalwart Falsetta's Market. Other shops there include Hagopian World of Rugs, Mule Skinner Boots and Western Store, Allstate Darts and Billiard Accessories, Naked Furniture, Washtenaw Cycle and Fitness, and Darling Brides Showcase and Tuxedos. Once Upon a Child sells children's used clothing and equipment, while the Upper Deck specializes in sports cards and memorabilia. An adjacent strip includes an Ace Hardware store and Bavarian Village ski and golf supply store. Other shops on the busy street include car dealers, restaurants, a large Barnes & Noble at the corner of Washtenaw and Huron Parkway, and the small Ann Arbor Flowers and Garden Center.

South of Washtenaw, big and small stores erupt in patches along **Carpenter Road**. Arbor Vacuum and Small Appliance Center at the corner of Carpenter and Packard is a family-owned business selling home appliances, including sewing machines, and offering repair services. (It's a big family, so they also have a store at Packard near Wells.) **Carpenter Plaza** gathers together another cluster of big boxes, including HQ building supplies, Minnesota Fabrics, Staples, and one of the city's new generation of giant Kroger supermarkets. There's a Meijer superstore at the corner of Carpenter and Ellsworth; right across Ellsworth the **Arbor Square Plaza** nurtures a branch of Rider's Hobby Shop (their original store is downtown) and the family-owned Blake's Bridal and Fine Fashions.

Heading west, an eclectic string of shops lies along **Packard near Platt**. Most are locally owned, and many have been there ever since this area was the core of an independent town named East Ann Arbor. Buster's Market, a local meeting place for generations, heads a roster of grocery and convenience stores that includes two ethnic destinations, Thai and Lao and Aladdin's Market, which provide Middle and Far Eastern foods. Craft Appliance is a durable, family-owned appliance store; east-siders also treasure the big wooden-floored East Ann Arbor Hardware and their own branch of the Ann Arbor District Library.

Whole Foods grocery store, specializing in health products, anchors East Stadium Boulevard's **Lamp Post Plaza**. Artinian Jewelers sells and custom-designs fine jewelry. Findings sells beads and other supplies for more casual jewelry. Other stores located in the

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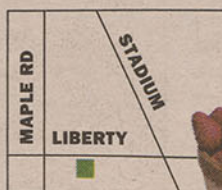


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plaza include Sarah's Designer Florist, a sportswear shop, Merkel's flooring store, and a women's used clothing store.

Just off Stadium on South Industrial, **Colonial Lanes Plaza** houses two popular resale shops. Top Drawer specializes in used designer and better-label business and dressy clothing for women, while Dean's Golf Outlet sells used clubs and golf accessories.

**Woodland Plaza**, situated where Main Street heads off to Briarwood, is anchored by an Arbor Drug store and Busch's Valu Land—a locally owned grocery store designed to incorporate the features of small specialty food shops. Wild Birds Unlimited and Pet Supplies Plus bring animal lovers to the plaza. Other stores include Egghead Software and Children's Orchard, which specializes in children's used clothing and equipment.

While centers large and small line the south side, **Plymouth Road** provides almost all the shopping located on the north side of the Huron River. A Busch's Valu Land and an Arbor Drug anchor **Plymouth Green**, near US-23. Other shops there include Golden Rose Florist and Carroll's Corner, featuring tea, coffee, and fine baked goods. **Plymouth Road Mall** had the good luck to lease to the first Ann Arbor branch of the growing Detroit-based Merchant of Vino chain. The Merchant teamed up with Ann Arbor's Produce Station and Pastabilities and Brighton's Marv's Meats to create a superb integrated specialty food market with nurturing customer service. Plymouth Mall also includes an interesting Chinese grocery store, the Ann Arbor Antiques Mall, the Wine Seller, the helpful Carpenter Bros. hardware store, Norton Durant flower and gift shop, Ritz Camera, Frames Unlimited, and a branch of the Ann Arbor District Library.

Across Nixon Road, at **Traver Village**, a huge Kroger at one end and a Blockbuster Video at the other bracket specialty retailers, including Letty's, with a faithful clientele who appreciate its personal service and classic women's clothing; Webster's Books, which has opened a doorway to Y&S Yogurt and Sandwich next door; Dough Boys bakery; the vibrant White Rabbit Toys; sibling stores to downtown's Kitchen Port, Crown House of Gifts, and Dobbs Optical; Pet Supplies Plus; and Wild Bird Center.

The **Courtyard Shops**, at the curve of Plymouth near Murfin, hosts craft and hobby, clothing, and specialty food shops. Cloth Encounters, selling exquisite fabrics, also does a brisk business in beautiful buttons that non-sewers can use to personalize their ready-made clothes. It's complemented by the Looking Glass Quilt Shop, which, as part of its full line of supplies for quilters, sells wonderfully printed cotton fabric. New Adventures sells comic books and sports collectibles. Mrs. Rooney's dresses neighborhood women in lighthearted, moderately priced casuals. Magic Memories imaginatively combines party supplies with fresh flowers. A-1 Campus Electronics is the modern equivalent of a nineteenth-century watchmaker's shop, full of little parts and tools. Children's Orchard has a second location here, and all but hidden around the back, the Jerusalem

International Market offers Middle Eastern products at low prices.

Across the road, at the **Plymouthview Shopping Center**, Natasha's Bagel Fragel sells conventional bagels along with delectable Fragels™ (deep-fried and sugared bagels) invented by its parent store, the Bagel Factory on South University. The center is anchored by Northside Food, a big convenience store.

Over on Ann Arbor's west side, the number of stores is growing on Scio Township's main street, **Jackson Road**. At this writing, construction is underway on a shopping complex to be called **Scio Town Center**, which developers hope will serve as a sort of downtown for the sprawling township. A Busch's Valu Land will play anchor to a hardware store and restaurants, along with other retailers and service businesses.

**Jackson Centre** houses the Futon Factory, which makes its own futons and carries a wide range of frames. **Parkland Plaza** hosts Bryan Computer, assembling computers for individual users, and its sister store Computer Alley, which buys, sells, and trades used computer equipment and offers lessons. Only the Best is the strip's clothing resale shop. **Independence Plaza** runs perpendicular to Jackson Road, so it's hard to see the Garage Sale Gallery (a business that grew from the owners' delight in holding home garage sales) down at the far end. Its neighbors include Mr. Fireplace and Huron Pet Supply. Larry's Mower Shop is next door.

Yesterday's Collection, a combined ice cream parlor and collectibles store for automobile and motorcycle fans, makes **Honey Creek Plaza** a merry place. Freestanding businesses spread out along Jackson include House of Sofas, which, despite its name, is a full-service home furnishings store; Nine Months, a used maternity clothes shop; Westgate Carpet; and the new Sun and Snow Sports combined inline skating facility and shop.

North of Jackson on Maple Road, the **Maple-Miller** shopping center is mostly food oriented with a new ice cream shop, a new Chinese restaurant, a convenience store, a Kowalski meat market, and an eyeglass shop. South of Jackson, **West Stadium Boulevard** is lined with stores and service businesses. The thirty-five-year-old **West Stadium Shopping Center** houses the equally venerable Rusell's, which was opened by Elizabeth Bays and is now run by her daughter Janet Scales; the store caters to the over-thirty-five crowd (their oldest customer is 103) with sensible, traditional clothes. Just to the north, in a gleaming white store of its own, the top-notch Lewis Jewelers is full of glittering diamonds and many gift items. Across the street, Ace Barnes Hardware makes hardware and housewares seem so seductive it's almost an entertainment business. Next door, the locally owned Home Appliance Mart and its companion store, the AudioVideo Showcase, sell fine appliances and stereo equipment.

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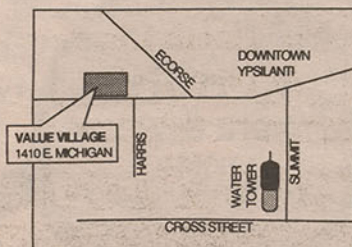
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The section of Maple Road between Winewood and the point where Maple converges with West Stadium is home to Top of the Lamp, specializing in lighting fixtures and lamp shades, and Maple Ridge Antiques, which shares a building with Carolina Furniture Outlet. In the summer of 1997, a big new Kroger was under construction. It will replace the one at Westgate Shopping Center next door. Other Westgate retailers include a bustling T J Maxx, several women's clothing stores, a Little Professor Bookstore, a branch of the Ann Arbor District Library, a Rite Aid pharmacy, and the Happy House gift shop.

**Maple Village** across Jackson Road, north of Westgate, is an eerie mix of empty storefronts and popular chains and local businesses. Frank's Nursery, Kmart, Dunham's Discount Sports, and Minnesota Fabrics are the biggies. At the other end of the size scale, Anastasia's Sewing Shoppe is an intimate little store selling Singer sewing machines and handing out wisdom and advice.

**Georgetown Mall**, on Packard, is anchored by a Kroger supermarket, a Rite Aid drugstore,

and Georgetown Gifts. Though Kroger has recently built a much larger store nearby on Carpenter, the company says it has no plans to close the Georgetown store in the near future. In August 1997, however, the staff at the city's oldest Kroger, on Broadway just north of the river, were notified that their store would close at the end of the month.

The little shopping district on **Broadway** has weathered many changes since it was founded in the 1830s, and it will no doubt survive Kroger's departure as well. The supermarket's closest neighbors, Foods of India and Manna International Market, already draw their own ethnic clientele from around the city. The volunteer-staffed St. Vincent de Paul store and the Thrift Shop will continue their missions, collecting and selling used clothes to satisfy Ann Arbor's bargain-buying appetite as well as its urge to help folks in need.

On a little island between Broadway and Plymouth Road, Format Framing sells framed art and provides framing services from a charming house, and Broadway Gifts sells greeting cards and gifts from an old church refashioned to look like a giant gift box tied with a bow. A block away on Maiden Lane, Nielsen's Flower Shop is an enchanted getaway with big greenhouses full of plants and a fern-swathed fountain.

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When I wanted the new CDs by singer-songwriters Jay Farrar of Son Volt and Ani DiFranco, **Schoolkids' Records** (523 E. Liberty, 994-8031) had them both on sale the day they were released. Schoolkids' staff is especially knowledgeable about roots music and singer-songwriter traditions, and the store's selection in these areas as well as international music is the best in town. Its rock, jazz, and local music sections are as good as anyone's. An annex (994-8081) next door is devoted to underground and indie labels and used CDs. Nearby **SKR Classical** (539 E. Liberty, 995-5051) has deepened its inventory since its recent sale to its longtime manager.

To check out CDs before buying them, I head for the listening stations at **Borders**

**Books and Music** (612 E. Liberty, 668-7100). The store's second-floor music selection is as impressively large as its breadth of book titles, with every genre stocked, and selections from each piped through headphones. **Discount Records** (300 S. State, 665-3679) allows customers to reserve copies of new releases and buy them at the earliest possible moment: Monday night at midnight.

Bargain hunters can often find a used copy of a CD they want for \$9 or less. Two of the best places to look are in second-floor locations on State Street. **Wazoo Records** (336 1/2 S. State, 761-8686), above Bivouac, is the most likely to have a used copy of a recent release (the used-cassette section is impressive as well). **The Grooveyard** (320 S. State, 213-7685), above Espresso Royale Caffe, has also amassed a strong selection of used CDs of all kinds. Grooveyard also specializes in techno and hip-hop LPs and CDs.

**PJ's Used Records and CD's** (617 Packard, 663-3441), above Subway, and **Encore Recordings** (417 E. Liberty, 662-6776) also have good selections of used CDs, but their specialties are albums. If you don't mind the crackle of vinyl, you can often find great used LPs for only a few bucks. Encore came through for me with an album of 1940s recordings by Detroit scat singer Slim Gaillard for \$4, and PJ's had an out-of-print Van Morrison double live album. I've even found gems such as Joni Mitchell's *Court and Spark* in a 25¢ bin at PJ's. **Wooden Spoon Books** (200 N. Fourth Ave., 769-4775) has a good collection of used jazz LPs.

On South University, posters stare down from every wall of the multileveled **WhereHouse Records** (1140 South University, 663-5800). This branch of the small Michigan chain is a favorite of the student crowd, with a good modern rock selection. The used-CD store **Disc Go Round** (1203 South University, 996-9010) is new, and so far its selection isn't as strong as the other used stores—but if you do find something you want there, its prices are a bit cheaper.

The expansive **Tower Records** (1214 South University, 741-9600) came through this year when I thought my Ann Arbor record-store winning streak would end. An import CD single from Hole had gone out of print, but Tower—with Ann Arbor's best collection of singles and a dedication to imports—still had one copy. Tower's sale bins are especially good; instead of being a dumping ground for third-rate acts, they're often filled with old CDs by some of rock's best musicians for as little as \$9.

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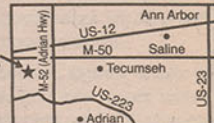
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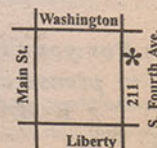
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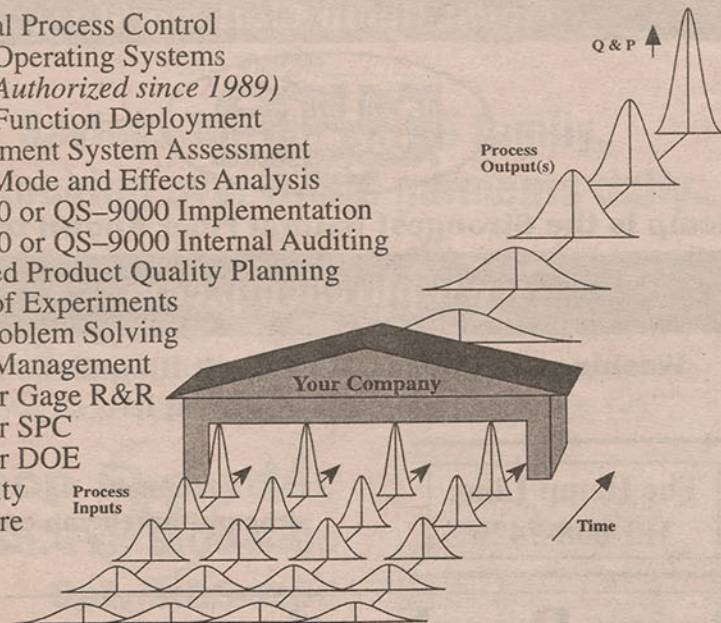
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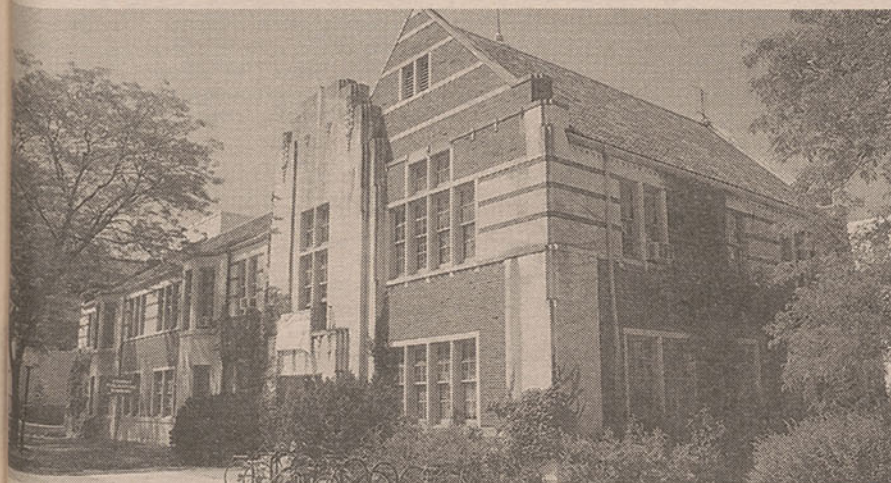
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**Credo**, 24 Frank Lloyd Wright Dr., P.O. Box 504, AA 48106-0504. 930-3100. Nonprofit, independent monthly newspaper with features, profiles, and events of special interest to Catholic and other Christian communities. Circulation 21,000. Call for free subscription, 930-3167. Available at many local Kroger stores and bookstores. E-mail: credo@rc.net

**Current**, 212 E. Huron, AA 48104. 668-4044, fax: 668-0555. Monthly magazine with listings of entertainment and events in Ann Arbor, and some in Detroit. Circulation 26,000. Free at many Ann Arbor locations. Subscriptions \$20/year. Web: www.gisd.com/cgi E-mail: CURRENT@aol.com

**Food, Fun & Fitness**, a publication of the *Ann Arbor News*, 340 E. Huron, AA 48106-1147. 994-6860. This free weekly newspaper features wire stories and articles from the *Ann Arbor News*, classifieds, and display advertising. Circulation 71,000-plus. Distributed free to nonsubscribers of the *News* in three counties.

**HUES** (Hear Us Emerging Sisters), P.O. Box 7778, AA 48107. (800) HUES-4U2. This full-color publication features articles promoting self-esteem for women of all cultures, shapes, religions, and lifestyles. Focuses on women and health, politics, travel, Internet, fashion, and more. Circulation 40,000. Single copy \$3.95. Available at local bookstores. Web: www.hues.net E-mail: mail@hues.net

**Independent Times**, 122 W. Huron, AA 48104. 769-0971. Monthly magazine serving Washtenaw County seniors. Features articles (some syndicated) on personalities, activities, and travel; columns on money management, medicine, and safety; events calendar. Circulation 10,000. Subscriptions: \$6/year.

**Li'l Ones: The Resource Guide for Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti Parents**, P.O. Box 3904, AA 48106. 994-6122. Local monthly published by and for young families with children through age ten. Articles on child rearing, medical and behavioral questions and answers, and tips from readers. Complete calendar of local family events, lectures, play groups, and meetings. Annual guides to field trips and summer camps. Circulation 7,500. Free throughout Ann Arbor and

Ypsilanti at Busch's Valu Land, Arborland Mall, libraries, bookstores, children's clothing and toy stores.

**Michigan Alumnus**, 200 Fletcher, AA 48109. 764-0384. Glossy magazine published five times a year by the Michigan Alumni Association. Features and news about the U-M and its alumni; occasional articles of national interest. Some display ads. Circulation 90,000. Sent to members of Alumni Association (annual dues \$40/individual). Single copy \$2.

**Michigan Daily**, 420 Maynard, AA 48109. 76-DAILY. U-M student-run newspaper published Monday through Friday during the fall and winter terms and once a week (Wednesday) during the spring and summer terms. Covers primarily campus news, sports, lectures, and performances; some city, national, and international reports. Circulation 16,500 (spring and summer 3,500). Distributed free at many drop-off points around the U-M campus. Web: www.pub.umich.edu/daily/ E-mail: daily@umich.edu

**Michigan Quarterly Review**, 3032 Rackham Bldg., 915 E. Washington, AA 48109-1070. 764-9265. U-M interdisciplinary cultural and literary journal. Essays, reviews, fiction, poetry, and graphics. At least one issue a year is devoted to a single subject. Circulation 1,500. Subscriptions \$18/year, \$33/two years. Single copy \$5 (price of special issue varies). Available in local bookstores.

**Michigan Review**, Suite 1, U-M Michigan League, 911 North University, AA 48109. Call Benjamin Kepple, 662-1909. Independent student-run newspaper published biweekly. Focuses on campus affairs from a "moderate conservative and civil libertarian" viewpoint. Circulation 8,000. Distributed at many drop-off points on the U-M campus. Subscriptions \$25/year. E-mail: mrev@umich.edu

**People's Food Co-op Connection**, 216 N. Fourth Ave., AA 48104. 769-0095. Newsletter published five times a year by the People's Food Co-op has features about nutrition, natural health, and "food politics." Circulation 3,500. Mailed to member households and available free at the People's Food Co-op. Web: www.izzy.net/~pfc E-mail: pfc@izzy.net

**Prospect**, 1429 Hill St., AA 48104. 769-0500 ext. 431. Student-produced quarterly. Social/political critique, and literary review, offering in-depth analysis of issues of relevance to Jewish students as well as Jewish issues of relevance to the wider community. Available by subscription and in most major campus buildings. Circulation 4,000.

**Third Wave**, c/o MSA, 3909 U-M Michigan Union, AA 48109. This bimonthly feminist publication edited by a U-M student group features articles, essays, stories, poetry, and artwork solicited from the university and local communities. Circulation dependent upon funding. Distributed free around the U-M and at area coffeehouses and bookstores. E-mail: 3wave@umich.edu

**University Record**, 412 Maynard St., AA 48109. 764-0105. Weekly U-M newspaper, primarily for faculty and staff. Lists U-M news, job openings, and a calendar of campus events. Circulation 23,000. Distributed free at more than 65 campus locations. Subscriptions \$15/three months, \$40/year. Web: www.umich.edu/~newsinfo/ E-mail: urecord@umich.edu

**Washtenaw Enquirer**, 1430 Broadway, P.O. Box 2257, AA 48106. 332-4475. This weekly newspaper was founded in 1995 for the purpose of "informing, enlightening, and uplifting the African-American community in and around Washtenaw County and to highlight the many positive aspects of African-American life, culture, and history." Circulation 16,000. Distributed free at many area businesses, bookstores, and churches. Subscriptions \$30/year.

**Washtenaw Jewish News**, 2935 Birch Hollow, AA 48108. 971-1800. This nonprofit, independent monthly newspaper includes features and announcements of special interest to the Jewish community. Also publishes the annual *Guide to Jewish Life in Washtenaw County* in midsummer. Circulation 5,200. Available by free subscription and at many Ann Arbor locations.

### SELECTED OUT-OF-TOWN PUBLICATIONS

**Between the Lines**, 33523 W. Eight Mile, #185 A-3, Livonia 48152. (248) 615-7003. A biweekly newspaper "serving lesbians, gays, bisexuals and friends." Focuses on the statewide gay community with news, interviews, book reviews, features, and a monthly events calendar. Circulation 22,000. Subscriptions \$35/year. Distributed free around Michigan. E-mail: prideplis@aol.com

**Detroit Free Press**, 321 W. Lafayette, Detroit 48226. (800) 678-6400. Detroit's morning daily, known for its features and liberal editorial page. Weekend editions published jointly with the *Detroit News*. Circulation 363,426 daily; 787,133 Sunday.

Subscriptions: Seven-day, \$2.50/week; Sunday only, \$1.50/week. Single copy 35¢; Sunday \$1.50. Web: www.freep.com

**Detroit News**, 615 W. Lafayette, Detroit 48226. (800) 678-6400. Detroit's afternoon daily, with coverage oriented toward hard news and business, and a conservative editorial slant. Weekend editions published jointly with the *Detroit Free Press*. Circulation 236,246 daily; 787,133 Sunday. Subscriptions: Seven-day, \$2.25/week; Sunday only, \$1.50/week. Single copy 35¢; Sunday \$1.50. Web: www.detroitnews.com

**Hour Detroit Magazine**, 117 W. Third, Royal Oak 48067. (248) 691-1800. Bimonthly (expects to be monthly by Sept. 1997) magazine with features, interviews, sports, fashion, events, and more, focusing on life in the Detroit area. Circulation 40,000. Free at many Detroit coffeeshops, health clubs, boutiques, etc. Subscriptions \$15/ten issues. Sold at various newsstands and bookstores in Ann Arbor. Single copy \$3. E-mail: hour@aol.com

**Metro Times**, 733 St. Antoine, Detroit 48226. (313) 961-4060. Weekly alternative newspaper with articles on politics, entertainment, and the arts; extensive Detroit events calendar; alternative horoscopes and comics; display ads and classifieds. Circulation 101,000. Free at many Ann Arbor locations. Subscriptions: \$65/six months, first class; \$35/six months, third class. E-mail: metrotimes@igc.apc.org

**Metroplex News**, 4478 Burton, Detroit 48210. (313) 898-PLEX. Weekly African-American-oriented regional newspaper serving the Ann Arbor-Ypsilanti area since 1990. Features, sports, entertainment, national news. Circulation 41,000. Subscriptions: \$24/year. Free at many Ann Arbor locations.

**Orbit Magazine**, 919 S. Main, Suite 2001, Royal Oak 48067. (248) 541-3900. Alternative "monthly guide to popular culture & entertainment" has irreverent and humorous articles on local events and the arts; offbeat features; restaurant reviews; music calendar; clever graphics; display ads and classifieds. Circulation 60,000. Free at many Ann Arbor locations. Subscriptions \$17.95/year. Web: www.orby.com/orbit E-mail: orbit@orby.com

## RADIO

### ANN ARBOR AREA STATIONS

**WAAM**, 1600 AM. 971-1600. 5,000 watts. News/talk, including Jim Bohannon at night; sports. Adult standards weekend afternoons.

**WCBN**, 88.3 FM. 763-3501 (business), 763-3500 (requests). 200 watts. Free-form student-run U-M station; jazz weekday mornings; student and nonstudent hosts offer a wide variety of specialty shows, many on weekends.

**WCM**, 990 AM. 482-4000 (business), 482-4057 (requests). 500 watts daytime; 250 watts at night. Adult contemporary Christian music.

**WDEO**, 1290 AM. 930-5200. 500 watts. Daytime station (sunup-sundown). Primarily Catholic and Christian talk shows. Includes the Val Kresta Show.

**WEMU**, 89.1 FM. 487-2229 (business), 487-8936 (requests), 487-WEMU (Jazz Dateline events calendar). 16,000 watts. NPR-affiliated EMU station. Primarily jazz and blues, plus news and public affairs.

**WIOB** ("Rock 103"), 102.9 FM. 930-0103 (business), 662-9103 (requests), 662-5858 (events). 50,000 watts. Mainstream and young-adult rock.

**WQKL** ("Kool 107"), 107.1 FM. 930-0107 (business), 998-1071 (requests). 5,000 watts. Oldies from the late 1950s to the early 1970s; adult contemporary.

**WTKA**, 1050 AM. 930-0107 (business), 998-1050 (studio). 10,000 watts daytime; 500 watts at night. News, talk, and sports, including U-M football, basketball, and hockey games, and Detroit Pistons games.

**WUOM**, 91.7 FM. 764-9210. 93,000 watts. NPR-affiliated U-M station. Mostly nationally syndicated NPR talk programming. Also, U-M football games.

### SELECTED OUT-OF-TOWN STATIONS

**CBE**, 89.9 FM. (519) 255-3411. 100,000 watts. Windsor CBC affiliate. Classical music with news and BBC programming.

**CBEF**, 540 AM. (519) 255-3411. 5,000 watts. Music, sports, news, and community events, all broadcast in French.

**CIDR** ("The River"), 93.9 FM. (313) 961-9811 (business), (313) 298-7094 (requests). 100,000 watts. Windsor, Ontario. Adult album alternative.

**CIMX** ("89X"), 88.7 FM. (313) 961-9811 (business), (313) 298-7999 (requests). 100,000 watts. Windsor, Ontario. Modern rock.



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**CKWW**, 580 AM. (313) 961-9811 (business), (313) 298-6080 (requests). 100,000 watts. Windsor, Ontario. News and music "for mature listeners."

**WCHB**, 105.9 FM. (313) 871-0590 (business), (313) 298-6969 (requests). 20,000 watts. 24 hours. Urban.

**WCSX**, 94.7 FM. (248) 398-7600 (business), (313) 298-WCSX (requests). 50,000 watts. Detroit. Classic rock and selected new cuts.

**WDET**, 101.9 FM. (313) 577-4146 (business), (313) 577-1019 (requests). 50,000 watts. Detroit's innovative NPR affiliate. Free-form mix of rock, jazz, blues, folk, and country, plus news and public affairs.

**WDRQ**, 93.1 FM. (248) 354-9300 (business), (313) 298-6093 (requests). 26,500 watts, 24 hours. Adult contemporary and rhythm.

**WGTE**, 91.3 FM. (419) 243-3091. 13,500 watts. NPR- and Public Radio International-affiliated Toledo station. Classical, news, jazz.

**WJLB**, 97.9 FM. (313) 965-2000 (business), (313) 298-7098 (contests/request line). 50,000 watts. Detroit. Urban contemporary.

**WJR**, 760 AM. (313) 875-4440 (business), (313) 875-4476 (studio). 50,000 watts. Detroit. Full-service station with music, news, talk, and sports, including U-M football and basketball games and Detroit Tigers and Red Wings games.

**WJXQ**, 106.1 FM. (517) 699-0111 (business), (517) 363-2106 (requests). 50,000 watts. Lansing/Jackson. Album-oriented rock 'n' roll.

**WKAR**, 90.5 FM. (517) 355-6540. 87,000 watts. NPR-affiliated MSU station. Mainly classical, some jazz and folk.

**WKQL**, 95.5 FM. (248) 967-3750 (business), (313) 298-9595 (contest/request line). 100,000 watts. Detroit. Hot adult contemporary.

**WKRK**, 97.1 FM. (248) 423-3300 (business), (313) 298-9797 (requests). 5,000 watts. Southfield. Rock.

**WLLZ**, 560 AM. (313) 298-7560. 9,750 watts, till 10 p.m. Oldies, Spanish daily noon-6 p.m., and ethnic.

**WMXD**, 92.3 FM. (313) 965-2000 (business), (313) 298-7923 (requests). 50,000 watts. Detroit. Adult urban contemporary.

**WOMC**, 104.3 FM. (248) 546-9600 (business), (313) 298-1043 (requests). 190,000 watts. Detroit. Oldies from the 1950s to the 1970s.

**WPLT** ("The Planet"), 96.3 FM. (313) 871-3030 (business), (313) 298-6600 (requests). 20,000 watts. Detroit. Alternative rock.

**WQRS**, 105.1 FM. (248) 355-1051 (business), (248) 355-3375 (requests). 20,000 watts. Detroit. Classical music.

**WRIF**, 101.1 FM. (248) 547-0101 (business), (248) 298-WRIF (concert information/requests). 27,200 watts. Detroit. Album-oriented rock.

**WSDS**, 1480 AM. 484-1480 (business), 483-WSDS (requests). 750 watts daytime; 1,000 watts at night. Mon.-Fri. 5:30 a.m.-midnight, Sat. 6 a.m.-midnight, Sun. 7 a.m.-midnight. Country.

**WVMV**, 98.7 FM. (248) 855-5100 (business), (248) 855-2400 (concert information), (313) 298-7625 (requests). 50,000 watts. Detroit. New adult contemporary and jazz.

**WWJ**, 950 AM. (248) 423-3300 (business), (248) 423-NEWS (news tip line), (248) 423-3333 (newsroom). 5,000 watts. All news.

**WWWW**, 106.7 FM. (313) 259-4323 (business), (313) 298-W4W4 (requests). 61,000 watts. Detroit. Country.

**WYCD**, 99.5 FM. (248) 799-0600 (business), (313) 298-6995 (requests). 21,000 watts. Detroit. "Young country" music.

### OTHER SERVICES

**Digital Music Express (MediaOne)**, 2505 South Industrial. 973-2266. Ann Arbor's cable TV provider also offers a music service. Subscribers can rent receivers that, attached to their own stereos, give them access to 30 channels of commercial-free, disc jockey-free, CD-quality music. The receiver comes with remote control and a digital display that shows the channel, song currently playing, artist, album, and composer, if applicable. Cost: \$7.95/month for residential service plus \$25 for the initial hookup.

## TELEVISION

### CABLE

**MediaOne**, 2505 South Industrial. 973-2266. This company supplies cable television to Ann Arbor and the surrounding areas. MediaOne has two options for flat-rate monthly service. **Lifeline** offers the local broadcast stations; community access channels; WTBS, an Atlanta superstation; WGN, Chicago's superstation; CNN Headline News; and message generator bulletin board services. Cost: \$8.01/month. MediaOne's **Basic** service adds additional channels including CNN, Disney, ESPN, C-Span, PASS, and the Black Entertainment Network—65 channels in all. Cost: \$26.75/month (10 percent discount on Basic for heads of households who are disabled or age 65 or older). **Premium** channels include HBO, Cinemax, the Movie Channel, Showtime, Encore, Starz, and FXM. Cost: \$7.95-\$9.95/month each. Call for Premium movie package information. MediaOne also has three **pay-per-view** channels: movies are \$3.95 each, and special events are individually priced. Initial hookup for all cable services costs \$25 (\$37 if it is necessary to run a line). Simple cable activation costs \$25. Add \$2.81/month for a converter box if your TV is not cable-ready (\$3.10 with remote control).

### COMMUNITY TELEVISION NETWORK (CTN)

**Cable Channels 8, 9, 10, 11** (on MediaOne), 425 S. Main, Suite LL 114. 769-7422. With the motto "Real People, Real Television," Ann Arbor's CTN makes all facets of television production available to the residents of Ann Arbor. Local citizens and nonprofit organizations produce the programs, and CTN provides the training and equipment free of charge. Monthly preview sessions offer instruction on use of the studio, camcorders, and editing equipment. Program schedules are listed on each channel and in the *Ann Arbor News*. Program hours: Mon.-Fri. 10 a.m.-midnight, Sat. 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Sun. 2-10 p.m. Public service announcements are posted during off-hours. Ann Arbor nonprofit organizations are invited to submit announcements. CTN also provides "Access Soapbox" and "Access Ann Arbor" for anyone interested in airing views or making announcements. No preview necessary. Call to schedule an appearance. E-mail: aacat@chamberann-arbor.mi.us

**Channel 8.** Educational and informational programs featuring local children in presentations sponsored by the Ann Arbor Public Schools, and televised college courses from Washtenaw Community College.

**Channel 9.** Citizens and community groups share opinions and ideas and display creative work in various programs.

**Channel 10.** Live, gavel-to-gavel coverage of Ann Arbor City Council, the Board of Education, and many other government meetings. Public information programs include "For Your Information" and "At Issue."

**Channel 11.** A free interactive electronic bulletin board available 24 hours a day. To participate, tune in, pick up your Touch-Tone phone, and follow the instructions on your TV. Information on school lunch menus, city hall, and community events information through AALINC, Ann Arbor's Local Information Channel.

### SELECTED BROADCAST TELEVISION STATIONS

**CBET**, Channel 9. (519) 255-3411. Windsor CBC affiliate.

**WBSX**, Channel 31. 973-7900. Independent commercial station licensed to Ann Arbor. Programming is 95 percent home shopping.

**WDIV**, Channel 4. (313) 222-0444. Detroit NBC affiliate.

**WILX**, Channel 10 (no cable). (517) 393-0110. Lansing/Jackson NBC affiliate.

**WJBK**, Channel 2. (248) 557-2000. Detroit Fox affiliate.

**WKBD**, Channel 50 (cable 14). (248) 350-5050. Detroit UPN affiliate.

**WTOL**, Channel 11 (no cable). (419) 248-1111. Toledo CBS affiliate.

**WTVS**, Channel 56 (cable 12). (313) 873-7200. Detroit PBS affiliate.

**WWJ**, Channel 62 (cable 13). (313) 259-6288. Detroit CBS affiliate.

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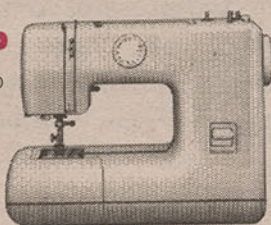
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## ANIMALS

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**Animal Emergency Clinic of Washtenaw County**, 4126 Packard Rd. 971-8774. After-hours emergency veterinary care for dogs and cats. (No routine veterinary care.) Weekdays 6 p.m.-8 a.m., Sat. noon-Mon. 8 a.m. Holidays 24 hours.

**Bird Rescue of Huron Valley**. 944-9600 (24 hours). Nonprofit group rescues and rehabilitates injured, sick, and orphaned wild birds.

**Humane Society of Huron Valley**, 3100 Cherry Hill Rd., Superior Twp. 662-5585 (24 hours). Humane Society personnel assist in emergencies involving injured or trapped wild animals or abandoned animal babies.

## ASSAULT/MENTAL HEALTH EMERGENCIES

**Assault Crisis Center**, 1866 Packard Rd., Ypsilanti. 483-7273 (24 hours). Immediate advice to assault victims on how to seek medical treatment. Also, sexual assault crisis counseling for adults and teens living in Washtenaw County.

**S.O.S. Community Crisis Center**, 114 N. River St., Ypsilanti. 485-3222 (24 hours). Housing crisis assistance, 484-4300. Free phone and walk-in crisis counseling for any Washtenaw County resident. Volunteer (nonclinical) counseling. Assistance available for emergency food and transportation. Referrals for other needs.

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